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PORTLAND DAY AT FAIR

Greatest Day in History of Oregon State Fairs Was September 15.

THIRTEEN THOUSAND PEOPLE

Exhibits Are Complete and a Credit to State—Visitors Are Enthusiastic in Praise.

Unquestionably the greatest day in the history of the Oregon state fair was that of yesterday—Portland day, says the Salem Statesman of Sept. 16. That the metropolis did handsomely by the fair, this year there is none to dispute, and such a jolly, good-natured and highly pleased crowd it would be very difficult to find elsewhere.

Mr. D. L. Hackett, editor and proprietor of the Breeder and Sportsman, of Sacramento, Cal., in commenting upon the fair as a whole, stated positively and earnestly that it was the best exhibition of its kind that he had ever seen upon the coast.

"In the first place, the people of California do not know how to give a fair such as this one. You cater to a class of farmers and breeders which we do not. The camp ground is one of the greatest features of the fair. It has been a great education to me. Why, I saw a man and family who drove 250 miles from Lake county to camp at the fair grounds and view the exhibitions.

A prominent gentleman of Tacoma, Washington, who has made it a business to follow up the fair and racing circuits for years, stated also that it was the greatest crowd that he had ever seen, "and we have some pretty goods crowds in Washington sometimes," he added by way of comparison.

The immense crowd, which was estimated at not less than 13,000 people, of which number Portland contributed from 2500 to 3000, was scattered throughout the grounds, and there was not a single department of the entire exhibit which was not crowded at almost every hour of the day and appreciated to the full.

THE WICKEDEST CITY.

Cincinnati and Chicago at War Over Official Allegations. Cincinnati, Sept. 16.—The assertion of Judge Mack of the Chicago juvenile court that Cincinnati is a wicked city than Chicago and his refusal to allow Alma Windhorst, a 16 year old Cincinnati girl who went to Chicago as a strike breaker, to return to her mother

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in Cincinnati, saying that it was impossible for her to be good in Cincinnati, has brought forth bitter denunciation from Cincinnati officials.

When interviewed regarding Judge Mack's action, Chief of Police Millikin, said:

"Who is Judge Mack? I don't know who he is. There is only one way to tell which city is the more wicked. The records show."

"He's simply playing to the grand stand," was the declaration of Acting Mayor Gordon.

"Chicago, beyond question, is the wickedest city in the United States. Even San Francisco, with all her oriental and sailors, cannot compare with it for murders, bold daylight holdups and general conditions that make it a city unsafe for citizens. If he thinks Cincinnati is bad, he is thinking of the city as she was 15 years ago. There was considerable wickedness afloat under the old regime, but today there is not a cleaner city of the size in the world morally. There is less vice and viciousness to the square mile almost than there is to the square yard in vice-ridden Chicago.

TRIES TO WRECK ALTAR.

Young Woman in San Francisco Desecrates Holy Shrine.

San Francisco, Sept. 16.—Last Tuesday night Kate Brennan made a wanton attempt to wreck the altar of the Blessed Virgin in St. Brigid's church. That she did not succeed was due to the vigilance of Charles Sanborn, the sexton. Startled by the approach of the sexton the woman desisted after breaking a lamp on the altar, then fled through a side door. Finding no other avenue of escape she jumped from a porch to the pavement, a distance of 15 feet, suffering a fracture of both bones of the right leg below the knee.

She was removed to the Central Emergency hospital. A charge of malicious mischief was entered against her name on the prison register, but it is understood that she will not be prosecuted.

According to Sexton Sanborn Miss Brennan made a similar attempt a week ago Sunday night. At that time she broke the lamp and threw oil over the statue of the Blessed Virgin. She has committed previous offenses of the same character.

FOREST FIRES IN MONTANA.

Cause Large Loss in Cordwood and Timber.

Anaconda, Mont., Sept. 15.—The forest fires that have been burning for the past four days on the mountains west of this city are still raging. Nothing but heavy rains can save the valuable timber and piles of cordwood in the path of the flames, and there appears to be no likelihood of a shower.

Hundreds of cords of wood, together with many thousands of feet of timber, already have been destroyed.

A number of prospectors' cabins have been burned and fears are felt for the safety of the buildings in the path of the flames.

It is said that the fire has gone over the mountains toward Lost Creek and that the heavy timber in that section is destined to be destroyed.

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The demands for sleeping car space in the Denver & Rio Grande's popular through tourist excursions have been so great, three such excursions will be run on the next and last selling dates—October 3, 4 and 5. On each of these Jays special tourist excursions will be run from Portland without change of cars over the "Scenic Line of the World." October 3 there will also be run a special Pullman excursion. These cars will make stops en route at Salt Lake City and Denver, affording excursionists an opportunity of viewing the various points of interest about those cities.

The daylight ride through the heart of the Rockies—God's art gallery of nature—is the grandest across the American continent. Write W. C. McBride, 124 Third street, Portland, Ore., at once for particulars and sleeping car reservations. These being the last days upon which tickets will be sold at reduced rates travel will be particularly heavy.

Low Shoes Are Dangerous.

Perhaps the girls are more prone to resent interference when presented on the score of health than on any other ground. If the cause for this impatience remains inscrutable, it no less certainly is a fact. Yet it may be suggested, with all due deference to possible prejudice, that there is certain and great danger in the common habit of wearing low shoes regardless of weather. These older and sadly wise women who have bought their knowledge with a heavy price see their younger sisters tripping about on cold, stormy days in French-heeled "lies," and shake their heads sadly, remembering how they, too, learned by experience that high heels and damp feet were sure to work mischief to that marvelously delicate organism with which femininity is endowed. They are aware that the ankles are peculiarly susceptible to chill. They recall—does—special instances when most direful illness has followed such rash exposure. A certain beautiful young girl lay on a bed—not of pain alone, but of torture—through her long-anticipated summer vacation, bemoaning when so much too late the deaf ear turned to warnings which, the doctor sternly informed her, might have warding off disease. It was only "getting

IT IS A MATTER OF HEALTH.



her feet wet," only a sudden chill. But the consequences were serious.—Harper's Bazaar.

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