

THE SITE CONTEST

Votes for the Location of Fair Coming in.

The response to the Journal's plan of having the people designate the location of the Lewis and Clark Fair, has been spontaneous. Already the coupons are being received in showers, and the plan is being discussed and commended on all sides.

- Peninsula, Sellwood, Ladd's Field, Milton, City Park, Baseball Tract.

JOURNAL CONTEST

MY CHOICE FOR THE EXPOSITION SITE

Name: Address: form for voting on exposition site.

NEW SCHOOL BUILDINGS

The East Side is growing so rapidly that all the school buildings are taxed to their full capacity and still there is not room enough for the pupils.

THE RAILROADS

It is likely that times will be quite lively at the Grand Central Station in Portland tomorrow. Assistant General Passenger Agent Charlton, of the Northern Pacific has been advised that the snow blockade on the lines of that company in North Dakota have been broken.

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PRIZES FOR PUPILS.

Circulars have been sent to the principals of the city schools by Superintendent Rigler, stating that the Oregon Humane Society invites competitive compositions on any of the following subjects: 'The Value of Blind Life,' 'The Check Rein,' 'Examples of Animal Intelligence,' 'Our Household Pets,' 'The Protection We Should Give Animals,' 'Influence of Humane Education.'

STILL IMPROVING.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.) CAPE TOWN, March 21.—Cecil Rhodes passed a good night and is now able to take some nourishment. It is now believed that the patient may be able to depart for London within a couple of weeks.

CRAIG'S BARGAIN SALE.

General Passenger Agent Craig, of the O. R. & N. Company will preside at a planning little function on Thursday, April 17. He will open up a bargain counter at which no doubt shrewd buyers will corral many a 'snag'.

POLICE NOTES.

Special Officer Nash arrested Charles Burton, 47 years old, last night, at Front and Stark streets, for disorderly conduct. Gordon Bennett, Frederick Reynolds and John Merwin were arrested last night by Detectives Kerrigan and Snow, charged with being implicated in the larceny of grain sacks from Soden & Spier, 327 East Washington street.

THE COURTS.

The hearing of the final account of Walter J. Holman, administrator of the estate of Alfred G. Tucker, deceased, showed cash and personal property valued at \$92,233. Outstanding debts amount to \$114.

FOR INDIGENT SOLDIERS.

Judge Cake has received a letter from Hampton Camp No. 29, S. A. W. V., Department of Oregon, located at Portland, giving notice that the Camp is now ready to undertake the care of indigent veterans of the Union and Mexican war soldiers, sailors and marines, provided for by an act of the state legislature, approved February 25, 1880.

DEATHS.

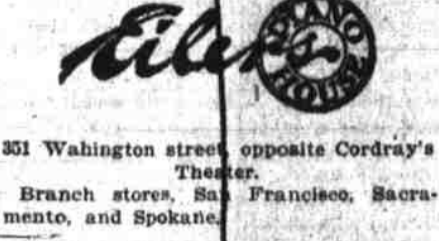
Infant son of N. L. S. Lawray, 410 E. Fourteenth street, March 18; aged 2 days. Joseph Stoffel, 31 Vincent's hospital, March 17; aged 22 years. Ah. Yoke, 1265 Second street, March 15. William McGraw, 1235 East Ninth, March 15; aged 86 years. Herman Mikert, March 15, aged 24 years.

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CIGARETTE SMOKING.

'Undoubtedly there is a pronounced increase in the demand lately for fine quality pipe tobacco.' said Sig Sichel, the well-known tobacconist, of 82 Third street, this morning.

APPROVED.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.) PARIS, March 21.—The civil tribunal today approved the eventual transfer to the United States of the Panama Canal Company's assets, subject to modification by Columbia of the articles prohibiting the sale of the concern to foreign powers.

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UP A TREE

Gen. Miles is a Problem Hard to Solve.

WASHINGTON, March 21.—There is considerable speculation today as to what will be the result of Miles' testimony given before the Senate Military Committee Thursday. The impression is growing that President Roosevelt will retire him under the age limit.

THE "CITY OF ROSES."

Lovers of Flowers Active in Making Portland Beautiful in 1905. The suggestion made at a public meeting not long ago that it would be a fine idea to transform Portland into a famous City of Roses by the time of the 1905 Fair, has been taken up like wildfire by the public-spirited citizens.

MRS. WHITEMORE DEAD.

Mrs. Mattie Whitemore died this morning at 3 o'clock. She had been ill several months with complicated troubles and her demise was not unexpected.

BUILDING PERMITS.

- J. Senton, East Twenty-first, barn; cost \$150. Harry Frogert, Sherman street, repairs; \$100. C. E. Spiller, East Court, dwelling; cost \$1200. A. Ratcher, East Eleventh street; repairs to dwelling; cost \$70. Amanda W. Reed, Mill street, dwelling; cost \$3500. Paulling Estate, Third and Morrison, store building. Isaac Peterson, Hawthorne avenue, dwelling; \$1600. C. E. Spiller, East Couch, dwelling; cost \$1200. Isaac Pearson, Hawthorne avenue, dwelling; cost \$1400.

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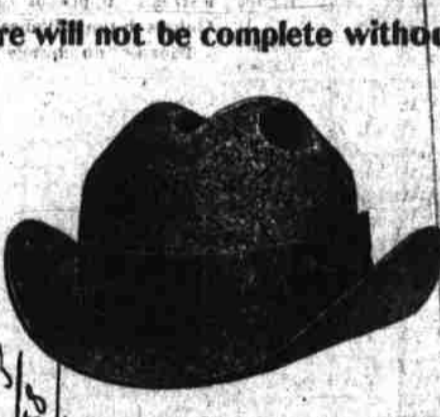
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EXONERATED.

No Blame Against the Bryant Estate Administrators. County Judge W. M. Cake decided four important probate cases this morning.

is what Portland, Or., will be called at the big 1905 Lewis and Clark Exposition. Great Preparation's now going on, and the loveliest roses on earth being cultivated.

Margaret Ferris, who was released from the Oregon Insane Asylum last December, as cured, was given a hearing to determine her fitness to assume the active management of her property, which had been held in the hands of her guardian, Thomas Gibbons.

COOK'S TEA the great SPRING MEDICINE free with 25c purchases at LAUE-DAVIS DRUG CO. Third and Yamhill Streets

OVER THE WIRES.

The Navy Department has granted the Union Iron Works nine months' additional time in which to complete the monitor Wyoming. This on account of the strike.

and to congratulate the Boer, Delarey, on his recent great victory, which not only covers England with disgrace and ridicule, but is gratifying to the rest of the civilized world, and which must have a good effect on the nerves of the greatest patriot empire the world ever has seen.

Civic Improvement League

The executive committee of the Civic Improvement League held its weekly meeting at the City hall last Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Marquam, chairman of the membership committee, reported considerable progress in the work of that committee.

SAN FRANCISCO WHEAT.

It is denied that a demand upon Turkey for the \$2,000 paid for the ransom of Miss Stone and Madam Tulk has been made. Fifty pages of the rivers and harbors bill are yet to be considered.