

LARSEN MADE IT

Looped the Loop Last Night.

BROKE HIS WHEEL

Shriners Tonight—Gay Scenes to Be Witnessed at the Carnival City.

CARNIVAL PROGRAM.

Today.
4:30—Drawing for Pony Cart.
6:30—Shriners' Parade.
Tomorrow.
2:30—Band Concert.
5:30—Mardi Gras.

NOTICE TO ELKS.

All members will assemble at the main gate in Elks' uniform at 8 p. m. sharp to escort the Shriners to the Temple of Music.

JOHN LAMONT.

The sons of Mohammed will receive the surrender of the Carnival City tonight and operate the place in their own way. Al Kadir has made some great preparations for a good time and if it does not develop, it will be because the present forest fires make the town hotter than the island of Martinique. Smoke does not interfere with Shriners and the citizens of Portland will be given a rare treat.

The members of the temple will assemble at the hall, corner of Third and Alder, and there form in line to march to the grounds, doing escort duty to Queen Maybelle. They will be accompanied by their band and parade over the following streets: On Alder to Sixth, north to Washington, east to Third, south to Morrison and west on Morrison to the Portland Hotel, main entrance, where they will meet the Queen and conduct her thence in Oriental state and magnificence on Morrison to Seventh and north on Seventh to the Carnival.

Upon arriving at the Temple of Music they will form a crescent around the temple and the illustrious Potentate will present the Queen with a magnificent souvenir of the occasion. After a response to the ceremony by George E. Chamberlain, the Shriners will proceed to the Midway where they will enjoy the show. Several visiting Shriners will be in attendance.

In his second attempt to ride the loop here Larsen made a success before a crowd of nearly ten thousand people last night. He fully realized that the crowd expected that he would win this time and he rode for life. For hours before the event came off there was an enthusiastic crowd gathered around the loop discussing the possibility of his making the reckless incline. Some were of the opinion that it could not be made, while others were willing to stake their reputation that he would come off all right.

Promptly at 10:30 the attendant took the wheel up the incline and Larsen followed. A cheer from the crowd greeted him and the people settled into almost breathless quiet as they now fully realized the chances he was taking to entertain them. He did not delay in getting off, but immediately plunged down the incline and in a second was laying on the run way with a broken wheel at his side. He had practically accomplished the feat, the only thing preventing was the collapse of the wheel just as he was making the last section of the loop.

The crowd surged forward to see whether he was injured, but he quickly arose to his feet and bowed. Instantly he was seized by the attendants who rushed him to the dressing room before the anxious crowd could collect around him. There was a continual round of applause for the plucky rider who after a failure should attempt it again and at last near success.

The 16-pound wheel was a wreck. Broken in the diamond frame, the head and forks, it was a useless piece of machinery. The terrible strain upon the handle bars is said to have been responsible for the breaking. Larsen's luck saved him from severe injury.

RESTAURANT AFIRE.

Fire broke out in the Montana Restaurant at First and Main streets at 3 o'clock this afternoon, which threatens to be serious.

\$50 CASH PRIZE

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To the Labor Union Receiving the Second Largest Number of Votes Cut From The Journal. No Union is Barred—Open to All. All Votes Must Be Written on Journal Coupons.

CONTEST OPENS SEPT. 2, 1901.

And is for the purpose of ascertaining which two labor unions in the city are the most popular, progressive and enterprising. \$50 in cash and a very fine roll-top writing desk, represent the first and second prizes respectively. No union is barred from entering the race; it is free for all.

I vote for _____
(Vote's name)
Contest closes October 2, 1902. This vote not good for use after September 15, 1902.

PLUMBERS KICK ON ORDINANCE

Meeting of the Council Committee on Sewer and Drainage Today.

The Council committee on Sewers and Drainage held its regular meeting at the City Hall this morning, but nothing outside of a routine nature was done.

A committee from the Master Plumbers' Association was present to urge the amendment of the plumbing ordinance. They claim that portions of the ordinance is not practical and works a hardship on them. Councilman Sherrett, who is a master plumber himself, took issue with the others and quite an animated discussion arose but it was all Greek to the committee who knew nothing about plumbing joins nor could they tell what kind of a trap was suitable for a bath tub and what would be most practical for a kitchen sink, which carried off a lot of grease. Finally Mr. Fiegl remarked:

"You gentlemen are as bad as a lot of doctors; you can not agree to anything and I guess you will have to retire and take Councilman Sherrett with you and let us decide the question among ourselves."

This created a general laughter, as there was more truth than humor in the remarks. The matter was ended by the committee being instructed to put their objections to the ordinance in writing and submit them at the next meeting of the committee.

A petition from a number of East Side property-owners, asking for a sewer in Tillamook from Union avenue to East Seventeenth street was read and granted.

The monthly bills for sewer repair supplies were read and approved.

RICH VOTE PILES HIGH

Adds Another One Thousand Votes in the Elks' Contest.

The leader, B. B. Rich, added on another 1000 votes to his big figure of yesterday. However, the friends of Candidate Streeter were also in evidence, and they piled on over 4000 votes for their man. This reduces the leader's advantage to 13,600. Now the battle will go on fast and furious, and nobody can tell what the final figures will be. The interest is most intense, as evidenced by the total of over 110,000 votes having been cast to date.

The following is the standing of the leading candidates, with quite a field of the "also rans," who have dropped by the wayside, none of them having reached 1,000:

Rich	47,015
Streeter	33,406
Frazier	20,220

NOTICE.

All persons having claims against the Portland Elks' Carnival Association are requested to present the same at the office of the Secretary, No. 94 Seventh street, on or before Monday, September 15, 1902.

Notice is also given that the Portland Carnival Association is not responsible for any bills or claims unless the same have been contracted or authorized by the Directors of said Association, or by their duly authorized agents.

PORTLAND ELKS' CARNIVAL ASSOCIATION.

Alex Sweek, Secretary.

Portland, Sept. 12, 1902.

SEVERE DAMAGE.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.) NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—The heavy usage of the big guns on the battleships in the recent maneuvers has left many of them defective. Expensive repairs will be necessary and one or two need to be replaced, including a thirteen-inch gun on the Indiana, is the belief of gun experts.

SEVERE FROSTS.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.) CHICAGO, Sept. 11.—Killing frosts occurred in wide areas of the growing corn belt of the Middle West last night. Reports indicate that immense damage has been done to corn and other late grain, and in consequence advances of from 1 to 5 cents were made on change today.

BIRTHS.

August 16.—To the wife of James M. Smith, 101 East Thirtieth street, a boy.

COMING IN 1904

Democratic Harmony and Sure Success

SAYS J. HAM. LEWIS

Conservative Democracy to the Front—Outline of Issues.

"I am more than pleased to know that Portland has a Democratic paper," said J. Hamilton Lewis, the well-known Washington politician, at the Portland this morning, on being seen for The Journal.

"I hear, too, with pleasure, that The Journal belongs to what I term the conservative wing of the Democratic party, and am glad to be told of its success in the field it has possessed."

"What of national politics, and issues?" said he, striking out in his well known vigorous style. "Trusts, the Philippine question, and the bearing of the tariff on both, as the power behind them, will be the leading issues. As to the Philippine question, the question practically considered, apart from the inquiry of imperialism maintained by dollars."

The country will land under the colonization policy, and conquest by force of arms. Carried to its ultimate effects, the policy, instead of being profitable, will bankrupt the country. The tariff is the mother of the trusts. I am opposed to the twin inequities of imperialism sustained by bayonets, and corporate despotism maintained by dollars."

"Is there prospect of harmonious action by the Democracy? I have no doubt of it whatever. There is reasonable harmony now and will, I think, be complete unity of purpose for 1904. As to Mr. Bryan he will not be a candidate, and the candidate is more than likely to be Olney of Massachusetts, or Patterson of Pennsylvania, unless the unexpected should happen and New York unite for Hill, which I do not expect. It will be an inking for the conservatives of the Democracy, the liberals having had theirs. Personally I would prefer Tom Johnson."

Of Ohio, because he stands for principles. In politics I am for things and not for expressions."

As for Washington state politics, and the coming convention at Tacoma, Mr. Lewis said:

"You can gather our sentiments up in King County, from the recent convention at Seattle, over which I had the honor of presiding and our platform adopted. I am not a candidate for United States Senator at this time. Under existing conditions Eastern Washington is entitled to the candidate, and I am for Senator Turner's re-election. Two years hence, when Senator Foster's time expires, I shall probably be a candidate."

Mr. Lewis impaled the Washington state Republicans on his keen lance of criticism, for their ridiculous action in endorsing Roosevelt and his policy, and also endorsing, quite as fulsomely, the Republican Congressmen who fought the President on Cuban reciprocity.

"THE CONVENTION'S ACTION," said he, "was that of a silly acrobat. To endorse Roosevelt and in the same breath approve the Congressmen, is like praising God for his works, and then commending the devil who broke up heaven and established a hell below. The hypocrisy will, however, be apparent, and I think the chances are very good indeed of electing Democratic Congressmen."

"On the railroad question," said Mr. Lewis, "the Republicans are in a riot. We shall, I hope, on that question meet what it is clear the people want, and declare in our platform next week at Tacoma, for a commission to be elected by the people. I hope also for declaration for a PRIMARY ELECTION LAW, under which we shall do away with the useless machinery of conventions, nominations thus coming direct from the people."

Mr. Lewis is president of the Idaho branch of the Great Western Best Sugar Company, and is on his way to a meeting at Mountain Home, Idaho. "Notwithstanding my personal interests in beet sugar," said he, "I refused as general counsel of the Great Western Company to advocate the defeat of Cuban reciprocity at Washington. The interests of millions of Americans are greater than those of a few hundred people who may have money in beet sugar."

MARINES TO PANAMA

Detachment to Be Hurriedly Shipped to Scene of Trouble.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.) NORFOLK, Va., Sept. 12.—A detachment of marines are being hurriedly made up this afternoon in the Norfolk navy yard to join the others at the Leconte island yard and will be hastened on the Panther to the scene of the Panama trouble.

SCHOOL CHILDREN STRIKE.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.) WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 12.—Three hundred children who attended school at Lee Park struck today because the fathers of four others refused to work in the collieries. They passed resolutions to attend no more till the children of non-unionists were dismissed.

A GRAND JURY CASE.

Gustave Ungerfoor, a waiter, has been bound over to the grand jury by Judge Hoag. He is accused of the larceny of a diamond ring from Mrs. Merritt, while the woman was eating dinner at Justin's restaurant. His bail was fixed at \$500.

FLAMES ARE RAGING ALL OVER OREGON

(Continued from First Page.)

Fine ashes fell over the city, but could not be noticed except in the clothing stores, where the black goods soon were covered with white flakes. The peculiar condition frightened many persons, and in one of the tanneries the girl employees refused to work, fearing that the end of the world was about to come.

The fires which are raging extend over an area 35 miles square, and it is feared hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of timber will be destroyed before rain falls and puts out the fires. The most serious conflagration is said to be in the vicinity of Clatskanie, where there is a great deal of timber. Fires are reported at nearly all other Lower Columbia points, both east and south of Astoria. Only meager reports have been received as yet, and it will be a day or two before accurate statements of the loss can be secured.

TRAINS NOT YET RETURNED.

The O. R. & N. trains which left this morning for the interior are stalled at 3 o'clock at the bridge at Multnomah Falls. The O. R. & N. authorities have received reports stating that the winds are moderating and that the situation looks more hopeful in Clackamas County.

OREGON CITY IS IN TERROR

Houses, Timber and Cattle Being Consumed.

OREGON CITY, Sept. 12.—The streets were covered with a thin layer of fire ashes this morning when daylight came. Fires were in every direction, the largest being over the hill back of Sunset, where it was being fought to keep it away from the big wood camp and off of farms. Many cords of wood burned, however, and a few little shacks were lost, but it seems to be under control now.

Another fire started yesterday on the Jennings farm, adjoining Judge Mel-drum's place along the O. W. P. & Ry. Co.'s line. After much hard work it was confined to the brush, having destroyed no homes. The electric line was in danger for a time, but the cars ran on schedule time.

The Gladstone fire became very threatening again and nearly every man, woman and child had to get out and fight it, for, once it got on the open space where the Gladstone homes are located, they could not have been saved as the grass is long and dry. Fences and cordwood were consumed at this fire also.

It was necessary for the fire companies on the hill to turn out and fight the blaze back which was burning in a canyon about half a mile east of the East-ham schoolhouse. The wind was blowing the flames directly for a row of cottages, but they were finally saved. Hose from down town was taken on the hill last evening, as it was feared that some of the houses might catch from the sparks flying in the air.

The Chauteauque Auditorium is in great danger. It is built of cedar shingles and if a spark should catch between them nothing could save it, for there is no fire protection on the grounds.

These fires were caused by a strong east wind springing up and blowing all day, which fanned small fires into big ones covering acres.

William Fine, in an attempt to drive a party to the mountains past Spring-water, was driven back, reaching a canyon last night, and reported that the whole district east of and within three miles of Springwater was on fire or had been burned over and that the people were in a state of terror, as the flames would probably be at the edge of that little village by dark last night. This fire will probably be more destructive than the great Schubel fire, which did so much damage last Monday. He was able to obtain only a partial list of those burned out, they being as follows: Frank Bush of this city, lost his whole place; Myers & Son, lost their sawmill and home; J. T. Myers, Mrs. Gordon, — Gable, Mrs. C. Barton, Mrs. Reid, E. Miller, A. Habelt, Bridenstine, and many others were driven from their places, unable to save anything. Most of these people owned mountain farms. This fire not only consumed the houses, barns and fences, but burned most of the large bands of cattle roaming over the hills. Some of the finest timber in the state is burning. Mr. Bush and others will leave today for this district to render assistance to the stricken ones and try to use some means of staying the flames.

BIG CASH PRIZE

For Best Design for the Fair Literature.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.) At this afternoon's meeting of the Lewis and Clark Fair board of directors the press and publicity committee will submit a plan offering a prize of \$500 to the artist submitting the best design that may be placed on all the literature of the Fair.

There has been some talk of using the Lewis and Clark seal for this purpose, but there has been objection to this because of its being so complicated. At this meeting the executive committee will report on the selection of the Willamette Heights as the site for the Fair. This selection will no doubt be ratified. Following the meeting Henry B. Miller, United States Consul to Niu Chwang, China, will give an address on how to procure exhibits from the Orient for the 1904 Fair.

DALLIES DAILY EXCURSIONS BY WHITE Collar Line boats from foot Alder street 7 a. m.; Sunday, 9 a. m. Grandest scenic route on earth. Tourists and carnival visitors should take this trip. "Dallies" electric sign. Both phones. Main 351.

BOVINE SMALLPOX

A Report That Cows at Lewis River Have the Disease.

It is reported that the cows in the vicinity of Woodland, and at other Lewis River points are affected with smallpox, and the health officer is investigating the matter. If it proves true an order will be issued restraining the transportation companies from bringing any dairy products from that district. It is explained that the contagion was contracted by the cows from a man milking them while suffering with the disease. Great quantities of milk and butter are brought to Portland daily from that section of the country.

A LAKE OF BURNING OIL

Beaumont, Texas, Fields Are in Flames.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.) BEAUMONT, Tex., Sept. 12.—This morning hundreds of workmen threw up a great dike surrounding the fire district in the oil fields, and it is believed that the spread to more than 400 wells may be circumvented. A stiff north wind makes the situation more threatening. The blaze is now confined to the Keith Ward tract. The Higgins spur being the only well in flames, and its 5,000 gallon tank is now burning furiously. The ground is burning over the devastated district, and a loss of \$100,000 is already reached. Thousands of wildly excited spectators, disregarding the heat, surround the scene. A special train is bringing enormous crowds. Beyond the serious burning of the watchman, whose lantern caused the fire, there has been no casualties.

BUILD PAPER MILL.

(Journal Special Service.) HONOLULU, Sept. 12.—S. N. Mayer, representing the American Talc & Asbestos Company of Seattle, today purchased ground on which to erect a paper mill. The paper is to be made from the refuse of cane stalks. His plan is to ship the paper to this country and use cheap labor.

GETTING SERIOUS.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.) TRIESTE, Sept. 12.—The strike of the dock laborers is assuming serious proportions. The Stokers and Lloyds men joined the strikers at noon, adding 1500 men. The port is crisscrossed with laden ships.

FAILED AGAIN.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.) DOVER, Sept. 12.—The English swimmer Holmes, who failed to swim the Channel a fortnight ago, made another attempt this morning. A storm arose and compelled him to leave the water after two hours.

BOER IRRECONCILEABLES.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.) PARIS, Sept. 12.—It is reported today that ex-State Secretary Reitz and other Boer irreconcilables, have decided to emigrate to Madagascar. They refuse to accept the British yoke, and will not return to the land of their slain republicans.

RESUMES INVESTIGATIONS.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.) ST. LOUIS, Sept. 12.—The grand jury resumed its investigation of the city lighting contract today. Edgar McPham, a delegate, was the star witness.

JIM CONNOLLY DEAD.

CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—One-eyed Jim Connolly, the famous sporting character, died at Bridewell today of acute alcoholism.

PRINCE JOSEPH RELEASED.

LONDON, Sept. 12.—Prince Joseph was discharged this morning on account of lack of evidence on the charge of an unmentionable crime.

ASTOR'S CHILD DEAD.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.) LONDON, Sept. 12.—William Waldorf Astor's four-year-old daughter, Gwendolin, died of consumption today.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Adeline A. Wilde, 28, to R. L. Shurman, 25.
Mabel Pardee, 30, to Edward Braithwaite, 32.
Josephine Fitzpatrick, 30, to John Carlson, 49.

WHEAT MARKET.

CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—Wheat—74½¢ 75¢.

GASOLINE EXPLODED.

In the fire at the City Steam Dyeing and Cleaning Works at 65 Sixth street, yesterday afternoon, Andrew Brazen of Hose Company No. 1, was badly burned on his legs below the knees by the explosion of a can of gasoline, which he was taking from the building. The injury is painful, but not serious.

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HERE'S THE LIST FOR WEDNESDAY

Bigger Than Ever Before.

'Tis Time to Buy a Piano—What the Carnival Has Done For Eilers Piano House—The Program For Saturday Night.

It is highly improbable that so many fine pianos have ever been sold heretofore during the same time as have been sold by Eilers Piano House since the commencement of the carnival. Monday's list was a big one. Tuesday's was even larger, and Wednesday's again is bigger than any previous day's excepting last Saturday.

Mr. J. G. Fisher, of far-away Annis, Idaho, early in the morning secured a beautiful Burdette organ, in fancy walnut case. Mr. Harry Jones purchased the remaining beautiful Hobart M. Cable, in fancy mahogany case, an exact duplicate of the instrument selected the day previous by Miss Bessie Smith.

Mr. I. D. Pike receives a beautiful quarter-sawn oak Kimball, and an almost exact duplicate of this Kimball was chosen by Mr. J. N. Mosier. A beautiful new Schumann piano, in fancy carved case of genuine mahogany, was purchased by Mr. Thomas J. James. This fine piano is now exhibited in the south end of the display at the carnival.

Mr. Cordray is expanding again. Last year was Salem. The prettiest opera-house anywhere in the interior of the great West was opened by him last year at Salem. Eilers Piano House, of course, furnished the piano then. Now the Cordray Theater at Albany is almost ready to open its doors. Eilers Piano House again furnishes the piano required for this place. The beautiful instrument occupies a prominent place in the very center of the exhibit, marked "Sold to Cordray's New Theater, Albany, Or." A duplicate of this piano was also sold to the popular playhouse here at the same time. And, last of all, Miss Mary E. Curry, of Gresham street, selects that exquisite masterpiece of the piano-making art, the famous style 18 Weber, in most beautifully figured case of genuine San Domingo mahogany.

Don't fail to see this piano in the center of the exhibit today. A finer Weber, or a more valuable piano, has not been sold by us for some time.

SATURDAY A BAND CONCERT.

We went into the carnival principally for a good time. The Eilers Piano House planned to make its exhibit the headquarters and lounging place for its thousands of customers throughout the entire state. Business was to be hung on the peg during the carnival, we said. And, in spite of all, the carnival has brought to Eilers Piano House the largest volume of business ever transacted in the history of the house.

Fact of the matter is that every instrument in the exhibit, and dozens and scores of duplicates, have been sold. All of the instruments in the exhibit have been promised for Saturday's delivery.

AS A FITTING CLIMAX.

So, as a fitting wind-up of the carnival, we're going to celebrate. 'Tis the last carnival to be conducted under the auspices of the B. P. O. E. (Best People on Earth)—the last where such a comprehensive display will ever be made of the B. P. O. E. (Best Planes on Earth) The Malicavers' Band has kindly consented to act, and we propose to give our friends and the public an opportunity to see and to hear what a really high-class program can be rendered by our Malicavers' Band.

So let's shave the piano business Saturday 'tis the day we celebrate! The Malicavers' Band owns the stand! Eilers Piano House, 351 Washington street. Other stores at San Francisco, Spokane and Sacramento.

Take The Journal, by carrier, 10 cents a week, 45 cents a month.

Portland Academy.

The fourteenth year will open Monday, September 15.

The academy proper fits boys and girls for college. A primary and grammar school receives boys and girls as early as the age of six and fits them for the academy.

A gymnasium will be opened at the beginning of the school year on the Academy grounds. It will be in charge of a skilled director. Physical training will be a part of the work required of all students.

The Academy will open in September a boarding hall for girls. The hall will be at 121 Eleventh street, and will be under the immediate