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SWEET CHARITY.

Portland Flower Mission to Give Country Fair.

The Portland Fruit and Flower Mission will give a country fair at Parson's Hall tomorrow afternoon and evening. The young women of this organization are banded together for the purpose of visiting and comforting the sick of the hospitals and homes of the city, and it has been their custom to give an annual entertainment for the purpose of raising funds for this charity. In the afternoon music will be furnished by the country fiddlers, and in the evening Parson's orchestra will play for dancing in the ballroom. The booths will be superintended

as follows: Housekeepers' booth, Mrs. Lena Bickel; card booth, Miss Florence Mayer; fruit and ferns, Mrs. F. H. Allison; cider press, Miss H. Brooke; refreshments, Mrs. William Wallace; lettuce bed, Mrs. H. L. Judge. The patronesses are: Mrs. H. K. McArthur, Mrs. Richard Koehler, Mrs. George C. Cressey, Mrs. Ralph W. Wilbur, Mrs. E. A. C. Stevens and Miss Virginia Wilson.

UNITED STATES COURT.

The case of John Lamont, president of the Order of Eagles, vs. Fidelity & Deposit Company, of Maryland, came up before the United States District Court. A motion for leave to amend the answer was allowed. The trial, heretofore set for Friday, October 17, 1902, was continued until further order of the court. Frank Holmes, of Salem, was admitted to practice, this morning, in the United States Circuit and District Courts.

PYTHIAN KNIGHTS

And Rathbone Sisters Elect Officers.

A GRAND PARADE

Knights of Khorassan Are Being Organized Today—The Uniformed Rank.

For the past two days the Pythian Grand Lodge of Oregon has been in session. Today the main proceedings were finished, and the chief event tonight will be the institution of a temple of the Dramatic Order of Knights of Khorassan, an order which is related to the Knights of Pythias about as the Mystical Shrine is to the Masons.

In accordance with the custom of the order, the officers were advanced one step this year, the Grand Chancellor stepping down.

The officers for the coming year are as follows: James W. Mahoney, of Pendleton, grand chancellor; Emil Waldman, of Portland, grand vice-chancellor; L. L. Curl, of Albany, grand prelate; L. L. Stinson, of Salem, grand keeper of records and seal; E. M. Sargent, of Portland, grand master of the exchequer; Marion F. Davis, of Union, grand master of arms; J. M. Wall, of Hillsboro, grand inner guard; G. C. Moser, of Portland, grand outer guard; J. H. Atkin, of Washington, grand trustee.

UNIFORM RANK

Last evening a brigade of the Uniform Rank was organized, composed of two regiments, one of Eastern and one of Western Oregon. The following officers were chosen: J. H. Atkin, of Huntington, brigadier-general; D. E. Yoran, of Eugene, colonel; first regiment: J. A. Young, McMinnville, lieutenant-colonel; E. M. Hoyt, of Hillsboro, major; first battalion: C. C. Knuff, of Eugene, major; second battalion: The second regiment represents Eastern Oregon. Its officers are: R. W. Miller, Sumpter, lieutenant-colonel; W. A. Weatherbee, of Baker City, major; first battalion. At present this regiment has not sufficient companies to admit the election of a colonel.

Before the evening session the Uniform Rank gave a parade in which were companies from McMinnville, Hillsboro, For



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JEWISH FESTIVAL

"Succoth" Commences This Evening—Services in the Synagogues.

The Jewish festival "Succoth," or Feast of Tabernacles, commences this evening, and lasts for eight days. The first two and last two days are held sacred, the Jews attending divine worship on those days. The four middle days held as holidays, labor being permitted on these days.

The holiday is in commemoration of the time when the Israelites were obliged to dwell in booths, in crossing the wilderness. It also commemorates the time when the harvest was gathered up in Palestine. Many of the pious Jews, even at this time, build small booths in their yards, where they take their meals and say appropriate prayers, to remind them of their ancestors, who lived in booths, their temporary quarters, while crossing the wilderness, as has been said before.

RADICAL CHANGES

To Be Made by the Southern Pacific.

OIL VERSUS COAL

Orders Out to Entirely Abandon Coal-Burning Locomotives on the System.

Orders have been issued by the head office of the Southern Pacific at San Francisco for the conversion of all the locomotives on all the divisions into oil burners as soon as possible. Coal will be abandoned absolutely, and within a year the Southern Pacific will be on an oil basis solely.

The Oakland division, generally known as the Western, is in the lead in the number of oil-burning engines. The Sacramento division comes next and the Los Angeles division third. All of the divisions are using oil for about one-third of the traffic at the present time.

The Oakland division now has 63 oil-burning engines. There remain 83 yet to be converted. During the month of September the oil-burners on the Western division traveled approximately 200,000 miles, while the coal-burning engines passed over 306,752 miles of track.

\$1,000,000 SAVED ANNUALLY.

On an average, 1,000 gallons, or 24 barrels of oil are required for every 100 miles, as compared to five tons of coal. The saving on every 100 miles by using oil is from \$16 to \$20. The company has expended upward of \$5,000,000 for oil. The profit on oil is lessened, because when oil was first introduced as a fuel the corporation entered into contracts at 25 and 50 cents a barrel. Since then oil has fallen to as low as 20 cents.

Notwithstanding this, the enormous saving is sufficient almost at present to provide \$1,000,000 in dividends annually.

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About \$30,000,000 of the bonds will be available for new rolling stock and other additions, while a portion of the bonds will be used to refund some of the high-rate interest-bearing bonds of the company as they fall due.

With the necessary improvements provided for in this manner, it is the intention of the managers of the Southern Pacific to place the stock upon a dividend basis. At just what rate dividend disbursements will be begun has not as yet been definitely decided, but it is expected it will be at either three or four per cent per annum.

With the issuing of bonds for new property it is not the intention of the management to reduce its strictly maintenance expenditures. They will continue to be most liberal.

INDIANA CLUB WOMEN.

GREENCASTLE, Ind., Oct. 15.—Final preparations have been completed to entertain in comfortable style the Indiana Federation of Women's Clubs, which will meet in annual convention here tomorrow, under conditions perhaps more favorable for a successful meeting than ever before in the history of the organization. The local clubs are especially strong, and on them will involve the work of entertaining the visitors. Their efforts have proven so successful that every visitor will be entertained at a private house and will, therefore, be at no expense while in Greencastle. The meeting undoubtedly will be the largest in point of attendance of any yet held in Indiana. Women's clubs of all kinds will be represented, and in addition there will be many women famous in literary and educational work from other states. The first session will be held tomorrow morning and will be in the nature of a welcoming demonstration.

BUILDINGS PURCHASED.

The Meier & Frank Co. has purchased the three-story brick building now occupied by the United Carriage Co. at Seventh and Taylor streets. The price is said to have been \$55,000. At present the building will be used as a stable for the delivery wagons of the firm. John Mathieson, proprietor of Rhein-falls Hotel, lately purchased the quarter block on the southwest corner of Front and Madison streets for \$25,000. There are two good brick buildings on the block which will be used as an annex to the hotel.

CELESTIALS LEAVE SHIP

Two of Them Desert From the Poplar Branch.

It has just been learned that the big steamship Poplar Branch, which arrived in Portland Monday, lost two of her Chinese crew while the vessel was lying at San Francisco. If they are not located, the owners will be out \$100, as they are under \$500 bonds to return each Chinaman on board to his native land.

The chances seem to be very slim that the escaped Celestials will ever be found. There are several thousand people in San Francisco who closely resemble them, and the owners will no doubt lose \$100 on the proposition.

Custom house officials are kept busy watching them while in this port. Two vessels are now here having Chinese crews, the Poplar Branch and the Indrasamha. They would not overlook the least opportunity to make a break for liberty, and according to one of the officers, if they once got started in good shape they would succeed in making their escape. He says:

A CHINAMAN'S AGILITY.

"I saw a sample of what a Chinese sailor can do today. The Indrasamha has about half a dozen chickens aboard. One of them flew down into the river and began swimming around like a duck. A Chinaman watched it a moment, and then threw a rope over the side of the ship. He grasped the hempen cord and went down it so fast that I could hardly see him. Only a few seconds had elapsed when he returned to the deck with the dripping chicken under his arm. If that Chinaman should plan to escape and get his lightning move on, he would be able to elude the vigilance of an entire regiment of soldiers. All of them require constant watching, but more particularly at night.

"Changing the subject, these chickens running loose on the Indrasamha are the most peculiar fowls I ever saw. I threw them a handful of wheat a short time ago, and they didn't know what it was. Evidently their Chinese instinct tells them that nothing but rice is good digestible food."

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SCENE FROM "LIBERTY BELLES," AT THE MARQUAM TONIGHT.

est Grove, Eugene, Medford, and other Eastern Oregon towns.

This morning the regular business of the Grand Lodge was completed. The subject of an increased representation to the Grand Lodge was discussed.

The great event of today will be the institution of a temple of the Knights of Khorassan at the Auditorium, by Robert L. Aldridge, of Saginaw, Mich., who has been commissioned for the purpose by H. W. Belding, the Imperial secretary. The temple will have between 225 and 250 members, and has chosen the following officers: C. H. Fox, venerable sheik; J. R. Tomlinson, royal viceroy; J. H. Olsen, grand emir; E. J. Jaeger, mahdi; John M. Mann, secretary; C. T. Roberts, treasurer; C. Bitterspacher, scribe; Carl Brandes, sahib; John Annan, Imperial nabab. The meeting will end with a banquet at Kruse's restaurant, at which 250 Pythians will sit down. Judge William M. Calk being the toastmaster.

RATHBONE SISTERS.

The grand temple, Rathbone Sisters of Oregon, is holding its tenth annual session at Artisan's Hall. Yesterday the grand temple degree was conferred upon 24 past chiefs, making an attendance of 60.

Last evening they gave a banquet at the Auditorium at the close of their session.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

A very pleasant birthday party was tendered last night to Walter Sundt, at his home, 23 East Water street, the occasion being his twentieth birthday. About 30 guests were present and enjoyed a delightful evening. Singing, piano playing, games and selections on the graphophones were the order of the evening. The guests remained until about 12:30 a. m.

Services in the various synagogues will be held as follows: Temple Beth Israel, this evening at 8 o'clock, tomorrow evening at 10. Dr. Wise will deliver a sermon during the morning exercises. At Congregation Nevah Zedeck Talmud Thorah and Ohave Shalom services will commence this and tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock; Thursday and Friday mornings at 8:30 o'clock. All are welcome.



"THE CONVICT'S DAUGHTER." At Cordray's Next Week.

"HARMONY" IN DEMAND. If the Democratic party in its search for "harmony" finally succeeds in obtaining more of that article than it really needs, the Iowa Republicans would be glad to secure all it has to spare.—Boston Herald.

of the Great Northern state the engineers in the service of the road have satisfied themselves that no insurmountable obstacles will be encountered in the building of a railroad across the Cascade range. From the Eastern slope the ascent to the summit by the route examined is gradual. Two different natural passes at points varying from 40 to 50 miles southeast of the main line of the Canadian Pacific are available.

The descent from the summit to the Pacific Slope through either is more abrupt than on the Princeton side, but the engineering difficulties are not regarded as particularly serious. Once the Frazer River Valley is reached there is a level stretch of country all the way to level-water.

BOND ISSUE POSTPONED

Present State of Money Market Compels S. P. to Put It Off.

As a result of the present uncertain monetary conditions the proposed \$100,000,000 bond issue of the Southern Pacific has been indefinitely postponed. The finance committee have not as yet decided when to lay the subject before the Board of Directors, and it is expected several months will elapse before the first batch of the bonds, to be authorized under the mortgage, will be issued. Interests associated with the Southern Pacific say the mortgage will be most carefully drawn up and that the bonds

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MRS. CHAS. HAYES, 171 Stanton Street, received 5.00
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