

TWO MILLIONS FOR THE BIG FAIR Will Ask Uncle Sam for Assistance.

The Legislative Committee Holds a Meeting and Appoints a Commissioner.

One of the most important steps toward making the coming Lewis and Clark Fair a real success was made at a meeting of the legislative committee yesterday afternoon in the office of Director F. L. Willis in the Commercial Building.

Other business transacted was the appointment of a subcommittee of three to carry out the recommendation contained in a letter from Director W. D. Denton to the legislative committee.

These present at the meeting were Chairman A. L. Mills, P. L. Willis, J. C. Ainsworth, Paul Wessinger, A. H. Devere, J. C. Cooper and Rufus Mallory.

The following letter from W. D. Denton was read and his recommendations adopted, except that calling for a subcommittee of five. The committee thought that a subcommittee of three could do the work much better.

The letter from Mr. Denton is as follows: "I am compelled to attend upon a trial in the Supreme Court at the time your committee meets and I regret my inability to be present, as I am certain that the work before us is extremely important and the time very short."

"First—A bill for an act to appoint an Oregon Lewis and Clark commission of nine members, and to appropriate \$500,000 for the Lewis and Clark Centennial of 1905.

"Second—A circular address to be issued by the board of directors, signed by the president and secretary, appointing and outlining the plan, purpose and general scope of the fair, and the estimated cost of the same.

"Third—An official letter to be likewise authorized and signed and sent to the Governors of the States of Washington, Idaho, Montana, Wyoming and Utah, asking them to recommend to their Legislatures appropriations to assist Oregon in holding the centennial.

"Fourth—A like letter to be sent to the Governors of the States of California and Nevada, inviting them to recommend participation by their states in the Pacific Coast enterprise, and advising each state to make appropriations for state exhibits.

"Fifth—A like letter to the Governors of the states of the Mississippi valley, and particularly the Governor of the State of Missouri, urging upon each of them co-operation and inviting them to ask the co-operation of their states, and to transfer their exhibits from St. Louis in 1904 to the Lewis and Clark Centennial.

"Sixth—A formal communication to the President of the United States, asking him to send special messages to Congress recommending the appropriation of \$2,000,000, to be used for the erection by the United States of a Lewis and Clark Memorial Building, to contain therein the exhibits from Jefferson, Thomas H. Benton, Lewis F. Linn, James K. Polk, George M. Dallas, the great explorers, Lewis and Clark, Albert Gallatin, and perhaps two or three other such notable men of the expedition, a site donated to the City of Portland and to be maintained as the home of the Oregon Historical Society and other public bodies, and to be devoted to useful knowledge and to the city.

"Seventh—A plan by which each state and the General Government may be efficiently approached, with a view to their active co-operation, and the employment of some suitable man or committee of persons, to take active charge of this matter at once.

"I am persuaded that these suggestions, or others of like import, should be taken active and potential form within the next 30 days, and I am very anxious to do all I can to aid in the preliminary work."

COMMISSIONER APPOINTED. Chairman Mills reported that F. F. Knapp, an experienced exposition man, wished to be appointed special commissioner to interview the governors of the adjacent states and then to appear before the Legislature with a bill to appropriate an appropriation for the Lewis and Clark Fair.

It was unanimously decided to adopt the report of Mr. Mills, and Mr. Knapp was at once instructed to take steps in accomplishing his work. If his work is successful before the governors he will be retained to go before the Legislature of the various states also.

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State Counsel to New Chicago. Christy, who appeared before the board a few months ago, was then taken up and discussed.

Mr. Miller's plan is that Congress provide a detail of officers to assist in securing and establishing exhibits to be pointed a commissioner to secure the exhibits of Russia, Japan, China, Korea, Siam, India and the islands of the Pacific at the St. Louis Exposition; also to visit the countries to secure their interest in making special exhibits and to supervise the collection of these exhibits.

COL. BOSCH'S LETTER. Col. Henry E. Bosch has sent the following letter to possible exhibitors at the Oregon section of the Osaka Exposition, requesting that they cooperate in participating commercially at the exposition at Osaka, Japan, and you are cordially invited to make an exhibit of your products.

The exhibit will be taken to Japan and returned free of cost to you, and if sold, the net proceeds to be returned to you.

I shall take pleasure in calling during this week to consult with you as to what is best to send.

CITY BRIEFS. If city subscribers fail to secure their paper they will suffer if they will call up Main 500 and enter their complaints.

WEATHER FORECAST. The storm yesterday of the Washington coast has moved well inland and is central this morning as a trough of low pressure, extending southwestward from British Columbia to Montana.

Heavy rains have fallen in Western Oregon and Western Washington, and rain or snow occurred generally in the eastern portions of these states and in Idaho.

It is much warmer in Southern Oregon, Northern California, Northern Nevada, Northern Utah and Southern Idaho. Reports from the cold wave sections of the Pacific coast are much improved from Omaha, where zero weather is reported.

Western Oregon—Tonight and Friday, showers; cooler south portion tonight; westerly winds.

Western Washington—Tonight and Friday showers; westerly winds.

Eastern Oregon—Tonight partly cloudy, with rain or snow; Friday probably fair.

Southern Idaho—Tonight rain or snow; cooler west portion; Friday probably fair.

Eastern Washington and Northern Idaho—Tonight rain or snow; Friday probably fair.

EDWARD A. BEALS, Forecaster Official.

Minigraph work, correspondence, Elgin & McCarthy, room 19, Russell Building.

Antiquated jewelry made over, using your own gold, watches and jewelry repaired. Tugny, Wash. and Third, upstairs.

Monument Bazaar at Merrill's Clery, 106 Sixth street. Indiana War Veterans and "Homes" evening tonight, and a new program. Overbody com.

EXTENSIONS TO COST \$400,000

Portland Railway Company Improvements.

City & Suburban Wants a New Blanket Franchise From the Council.

The vast improvements undertaken and planned by the Portland Railway Company for the next year will amount to between \$300,000 and \$400,000.

Our company expects to make numerous improvements during the next year and work will be continued as soon as weather will permit.

We have just filed supplementary articles of incorporation, providing for the extension of our present lines.

The extensions proposed by our company include that of the Fifth-Street line to the Macadam road, another to the Portland Heights and still another on the East Side.

WANTS BLANKET FRANCHISE. The City & Suburban Company introduced an ordinance at yesterday's session of the City Council, in which the company asks for a blanket franchise for 25 years, and proposes to give up all other franchises now held by them.

It seems evident that the ordinance will pass, with the possible exception of the term of years asked, as several of the Councilmen have expressed an opinion that they think the term too long.

Among other matters the company asks in the franchise permission to construct lines on Nineteenth and Twenty-fourth streets from Gilson to Sawyer streets; also the right to extend their Williams avenue line from Floodmont to Woodlawn, to connect the Brooklyn line with the Waverly-Woodstock line, and the East Ankeny line with the Irvington line.

SANTA PAULA SAILED TODAY Returns to the Bay City in Tow of the Rescue.

The oil barge Santa Paula, Capt. McGovern, left the river this morning en route to San Francisco in tow of the Rescue. The Santa Paula is one of the most peculiarly constructed craft that have been built with contrary winds and a four-masted schooner, but amidships is utterly bare of any upper decorations.

Many who saw her observed that they would not like to risk their lives on her in the open sea, that would have coast the vessel proved that she is capable of withstanding storms of the most severe character with comparative ease.

Later the Santa Paula may make regular trips between San Francisco and Portland, but whether she does so or not depends largely upon subsequent developments.

IT GOT ON HER NERVES. (New Orleans Times-Democrat.) "Speaking of the little things that afflict the souls of men, said a gentleman who lives up town, 'reminds me of the experience of a young lady of my neighborhood a few evenings ago.'

"There was a brightly polished, prettily shaped conch shell on the table in her reading room, brought from over the lake by a younger brother. The young lady had been reading for some time when her eyes fell on the conch shell.

"The thing really moved! She was not certain about it. But it looked that way! It moved gradually, sitting over the edge of the table. Maybe the table was tilted. No; it was not. It was perfectly flat, perfectly level. She could hear no rattling. Besides, she did not believe in this table-rattling business, did not believe in spirits at all, in fact. But the conch shell was moving just the same, moving slowly, to be sure, but still moving. Her blood began to get cold.

"One reason why The Journal has rapidly gained circulation is that it is the only paper in Portland that dares to print the news.

SOME ARE NOT NEWSPAPERS

Judge Webster Renders Opinion in Twelve-Mile House Case.

F. A. Miller's petition for a injunction at the Twelve-Mile House occupied County Judge Webster's time yesterday afternoon.

Judge Webster objected pointedly to the manner in which the petition had been published in the Review, a commercial paper.

PERSONALS. W. H. Meek of Denver is in town. E. M. West of Siletta is in the city.

E. H. Mason of Spokane is in the city. Charles B. Aaron of Chicago is in the city.

D. B. Chandler of New York is in the city. J. C. Kennedy of New York is in the city.

Longine of Chicago is at the Portland. E. F. Brittingham of New York is in town.

James H. Haley of Pendleton is in the city. E. A. Leman of Mount Angel is in town.

Frank Forsyth of Westport, Or. is in town. A. L. Breckenridge of Astoria is at the Imperial.

W. J. Boston of Huntington is at the Perkins. G. J. Spangler of Duluth, Minn., is in the city.

J. D. Quinn of New York is at the Portland. J. R. Hanly of San Francisco is in the city.

George G. Mowatt of San Francisco is at the Perkins. J. D. Murphy and wife of Lincoln, Or., are in the city.

S. F. Corham and S. Birch of Seattle are at the Portland. F. E. Klein, a prominent merchant of Pauline, is in town.

C. U. Frutander of Aberdeen is registered at the Portland. C. W. Dority of La Crosse, Wash., is in the city on business.

J. J. O'Neill and wife of Lebanon are registered at the Portland. Frank L. Towle of St. Paul is at the Portland.

W. J. Lewis of Seattle is in the city on business. Jerry Swart of Athena is registered at the Perkins.

G. B. Bausch of San Francisco is at the Portland. J. C. Pittsmons of San Francisco is in the city.

J. S. Swank of Albany is in the city for a few days. George G. Mowatt of San Francisco is at the Perkins.

COMMODIOUS OVER ACTIVE

Many New Ordinances on the Tapis.

Bicycle, Oil Tank, Outer Wall, Grass and Others Up for Consideration.

Councilman Albee's grass ordinance brought out considerable discussion and some witty remarks at the meeting of the Common Council yesterday afternoon.

NEW BICYCLE ORDINANCE. The new bicycle ordinance introduced by Sigler will, if passed, compel wheelmen to take the middle of the road on many streets on the East Side, and West Side as well.

Very dainty patent leather and kid combination with one strap, dainty and pretty for holiday parties. Value \$1.75, special this week 98c.

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MR. COX IMPROVING. John L. Cox, brother of the late L. B. Cox, the prominent attorney, who was thrown out of a wagon last summer, causing paralysis, is improving and will no doubt recover in a short time.

A Christmas Gift Should be beautiful, durable and useful. Our rugs and carpets meet these requirements perfectly.

EXCLUSIVE CARPET HOUSE J.G. Mack & Co. 86-88 THIRD STREET Opposite Chamber of Commerce.

Olds, Wortman & King. Early Christmas Bargains. Dainty boxes for storing away dainty belongings; something every girl covets. Our offering this week is made of exceedingly pretty white and tinted celluloid, lined with delicate colors, and either appropriately lettered or decorated with hand painted sprays.

A Beautiful Face. Is what all women want. Proper care of the skin makes you beautiful. We remove all blemishes, superfluous hair, moles, etc. No scars. It is well worth your while to call. NO CHARGE to talk it over. Gray hair restored. Manicuring.

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