

WILL AID THE FAIR

Good Roads Association
Delegates Unanimously
Adopt Resolutions.

THEY URGE ASSISTANCE

Jefferson Myers Presents Petition
Which Meets High Approval—
Invitation is Extended
by Portland.

(Journal Special Service.)
Washington, Jan. 27.—That the Lewis and Clark centennial celebration is daily receiving additional national support was again proved when the delegates to the Good Roads association unanimously adopted resolutions presented by Jefferson Myers, president of the state Lewis and Clark fair commission late yesterday.

The following are the resolutions adopted in full:
Whereas, The territorial boundaries of the United States have been extended from the limits that marked them at the time of the formation of the original states to the Pacific ocean, and

Whereas, The people of the state of Oregon have subscribed a sum of \$600,000, and the state of Oregon has appropriated an additional sum of \$500,000 to celebrate this historical event, in the acquisition of the Oregon country, 100 years ago, by an exposition in commemoration of the same, to be held in Portland, Or., in 1905; and

Whereas, It was President Jefferson who provided the means for Lewis and Clark's expedition, through which, by the aid of the pioneers, this vast domain was made a part of the territory of the government of the United States, a position which will be more lucidly and clearly shown in the history of the commerce of the Orient; and

Whereas, President Jefferson was one of the first supporters of good roads in behalf of good government; therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the members of the National Good Roads association, do hereby endorse the Lewis and Clark exposition to be held in Portland, Oregon, in 1905, to commemorate the expedition of Lewis and Clark in 1805, and especially to honor President Jefferson, the great champion of good government, and the great expansionist, who planted the American flag on the shores of the Pacific; and be it further

Resolved, That the government of the United States make a liberal appropriation for this exposition, and a most liberal exhibit from its various departments at such exposition.

Harvey W. Scott, through Mr. Myers, presented the following invitation to the members of the Good Roads association to meet in Portland in 1905:
To the Officers and Members of the Good Roads Association—Gentlemen: We respectfully invite your association to hold its annual meeting in the summer of 1905 at Portland, Or. In the summer of that year the Lewis and Clark Centennial Exposition and Oriental fair will be held at Portland. It is believed that the exposition will attract large attendance, not only throughout the United States, but also in foreign countries, especially those of the Orient, with which our Pacific states have large and constantly growing relations in commerce.

We expect the participation of the United States in the exposition, and we believe the occasion can be made one of great advantage to your association and of large advantage to its work.
Our Pacific states are paying much attention to the subject which your association is organized to promote. The city of Portland and the directors of the Lewis and Clark exposition will afford every possible facility for your meeting and we cordially invite you to "come and see us in 1905." Sincerely yours,
H. W. SCOTT,
President Lewis and Clark Centennial Exposition.

President Roosevelt was called upon at the White House by members of the committee. The chief executive in expressing his great interest in the subject of good roads, said:

"I am sure I need not say how entirely I sympathize with the movement that you are championing for better means of communication. The road is the symbol of civilization. Take our great province of Alaska. I doubt if there is anything needed for the development of Alaska on permanent lines than the building up of a proper system of roads, and where it is impossible to make wagon roads, trails in Alaska. Throughout our country, our citizens will have to turn their energies to improving the means of intercourse—that is, the roads—between community and community, because we are a civilized people and we cannot afford to have barbaric methods of communication."

MAINE NOTES.

Astoria, Jan. 27.—Arrived down at midnight and sailed at 9:30 a. m., steamer Despatch for San Francisco.
San Francisco, Jan. 27.—Sailed steamer Aurelia for Portland.
Sailed schooner Virginia for Portland.
San Pedro, Jan. 27.—Arrived schooners Melrose and R. W. Bartlett from Columbia river.

Astoria, Jan. 27.—Condition of the bar at 8 a. m., smooth; light north wind; weather clear.

SHAKE RIVER BOAT.

The new boat being built at the foot of East Pine street by Captain O. P. Graham for the Idaho Southern railroad & Navigation company is about ready to be launched. It is a twin-screw gasoline propelled, and is to be operated on the Snake river above Glen's Ferry. The dimensions of the craft are as follows: Length, 51.5 feet; width, 11.7 feet and depth 4 feet.

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FATAL DIVE IN AN EMPTY TANK

R. P. Boulbee Unaware That Swimming Pool Is Drained. Leaps 15 Feet in Darkness Crushing His Skull—Dies at 11:15 a. m.

Diving headlong into an empty tank in the Multnomah Athletic club gymnasium a short time after 8 o'clock last night, R. P. Boulbee, fractured his skull. He died at Good Samaritan hospital at 11:15 o'clock this morning. An operation was performed at once. Everything that money, skill, surgery and tender care can do was done to save his life, but there was no hope of his recovery.

Under the impression that the tank was full of water, Boulbee jumped headlong from a springboard, a distance of from 15 to 20 feet. There was not more than a foot of water in the tank and the young athlete struck on his head, which scraped along the cement bottom, crushing the skull and injuring the brain. But for the prompt assistance of Fire Chief Campbell, Harry L. Corbett and Paul J. Vial, who were present, he would have been drowned.

The Canadian Bank of Commerce, Boulbee's employer, pays the dues of its men at the club so that they may take proper exercise. Boulbee, who was fond of athletics and a strong young man, was very fond of the gymnasium work. He was known as a splendid diver. Last night he boxed with Chief David Campbell of the fire department, and Harry L. Corbett of the First National bank. The three men retired together to the shower bath. The tank is refilled each Tuesday, a fact which all the members are supposed to know. As it was shortly after 8 o'clock the lights had not been turned on and the tank was shrouded in darkness. Boulbee ran suddenly out of the bath. Before his companions could warn him they heard the crack of the springboard as he dived into the empty tank. He described a curve high in the air and descended head first 15 feet to the bottom of the tank. As he struck the cement floor the bones of his skull were crushed and he fell into the tank and his face horribly mangled.

Besides Chief Campbell and Mr. Corbett, Paul J. Vial witnessed the horrible accident. They realized that immediate action was necessary to save him from drowning, as the young man lay still and almost lifeless in about a foot of water. They rushed into the tank and pulled him out.

E. A. Wyld, manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, was soon at hand and ordered everything possible done to save Boulbee's life. Dr. J. D. Fenton was called at once and the injured man was hastily removed to Good Samaritan hospital. He never recovered consciousness.

Dr. Fenton performed an operation at once to remove the bits of bone from the brain tissue and to relieve the pressure on the brain as much as possible. A trained nurse was engaged by Mr. Wyld and every attention ordered for the patient.

Mr. Boulbee has been in the employ of the Canadian Bank of Commerce for several years. He worked at Nelson, B. C., before coming to Portland three or four months ago. He lived at 708 Flanders street, was an active member of the Multnomah club and had made quite a number of acquaintances in Portland. Mr. Wyld took charge of his affairs and sent word to his home at Toronto, Can., where Mr. Boulbee's widowed mother, four brothers and two sisters reside.

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