

# Part of the Happy Family at Portland's City Park



In honor of the arrival of the jungle boys, the bear family at the City park entertained yesterday forenoon with a nice prize fight between the black bear and the cinnamon.

The principals in the bout were about equal as regards weight, height, and general appearance. Johnnie Bear, the referee, got chased out of the ropes when he tried to stop a clinch. The black bear had heard of Jim Jeffries' method of under fighting—and was giving a very fair reproduction when Johnnie objected. With the beginning of each round the black bear would glide up, his head down, and try to land a solar plexus. Each of his efforts met with a clout on the jaw from the brown antagonist. Then the brown would follow his lead by getting a jaw hold with his teeth and the two would go down together. Next, the black bear tried the clever stunt of lining the brown up in front of the family swimming hole. He forced the fighting at this stage and tried to crowd the brown bear into the drink, but made a misstep and got the bath himself instead.

As he came out he saw Johnnie lined up against the wall holding his side.

Portwith Johnnie was chased into the back yard and away from the gaze of the spectators. While the entertainment was in progress the other two bears who inhabit the pit viewed the fun from orchestra chairs on the pole which runs up in the center of the pit arena.

Round 2 opened with black shaking himself, sitting over in the corner for a minute in his most disinterested and graceful bear's attitude and gently massaging his brow in an effort to think a deep thought. Evidently he succeeded because with the call of time he rushed by brown and over into the corner where there was a pile of nice fresh grass. The trick worked—and brown rushed up forgetting his uppercut punch for a moment and got whacked that caused great joy to black, who proceeded to again look disinterested, but at the wrong time, for just then he got a corkscrew punch in the jaw that nearly sent him into the family fountain a second time.

"That's all right," he seemed to say, "but just watch me now," as he planted another in brown's side, and got busy rushing for the orchestra chairs. But he was too slow, Johnnie Bear, whether

by accident or not, having come out of the darkness and lined up in front of the orchestra chairs at the wrong spot. In a minute it was to the tall timber for the referee. Then black met brown who was charging across the pit, and tried to shake hands warmly with brown, but failed to make an impression, getting another clout over the head instead.

Again blackie retired to the wall to think. His thoughts were interrupted by the nose of Johnnie appearing from the darkness; and forthwith that nose was again chased into the depths of the earth. Blackie began round 3 with a side swing motion while brown was to the south of him and he was looking west—a tactic that proved effective.

The entertainment was on all morning and was more agreeable than the Jeffries-Munroe bout is likely to be, because more bear generalship was shown and the feeling at the end of the round was more calm than is likely to be exhibited at the big go between the human prototypes.

With the arrival of the camels, the deer, the two storks, the goat and the porcupine at the park last night all of the menagerie brought over from Japan

in the Indrasamba was cared for. The porcupine was the only one who seemed crestfallen and sat rolled up in a ball while the visitors looked on today. He did not shoot even a single quill when a little man with a bunch of green whisks punched him with a large farm house umbrella and said: "I wonder why the varmint has such corners hair?"

In the way of show, the beautiful tiger is the star beast from the orient. While pacing up and down in his little box cage he seems perfectly docile and looks at the women and children in a way which seems to say, "Wouldn't my skin look lovely in front of your own fire place?" Apparently he is a perfect specimen of his kind and the large eyes are radiantly beautiful.

If the bear is a specimen of his countrymen, the Japs and Russians are hard up for something to fight over. Unlike the American bears who were having such fun in the family pit half a block away, his hair is long like that of a black curly haired dog; and he acted as if he had just swallowed a porcupine's tail made by an amateur mixer. All day he has brushed the

front of his cage with his nose, and if he could shake American society, it would with him gladly be a case of "back to the jungle for me."

The two specimens of the camel family seem perfectly satisfied with the view of Portland house tops provided from their open high fenced lot back of the menagerie. They are fat—for camels—and, like the tiger, seem pleased by the attention showered on them by visiting mankind. To the small boy they proved a big card and much of the time a guard has been engaged in preventing the aforesaid small boy from feeling the large warts on the camels' backs.

As for the two storks, they are the black and white species, black heads and tails and pure white bodies. Both birds are very clean and apparently were well qualified to take a complete inventory of the Portland people who long to meet the views of President Roosevelt.

It is likely the animals will be at the park practically all summer, even if the park does not purchase the collection. No definite plans have yet been made to sell them to another institution.

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## JOBBER COMPLETE AN ORGANIZATION

THREE PORTLAND MEMBERS EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE ELECTED FOR NORTH PACIFIC JOBBERS' AND MANUFACTURERS' ASSOCIATION—MEARS FOR SECRETARY.

The North Pacific Jobbers' and Manufacturers' association completed its organization yesterday afternoon at a meeting at the Commercial club rooms by electing three members of the executive committee. Seattle and Tacoma will also elect three members and the nine will then choose a president and secretary, who, according to the constitution, must be residents of Portland.

Already there are 86 manufacturing and jobbing firms of this city who are members of the association, and it is expected that the membership will be greatly increased. At the meeting yesterday afternoon, I. Lang presided. As chairman of the committee in charge of the organization he suggested the names of L. A. Lewis of the firm of Allen & Lewis; A. F. Biles of the firm of W. P. Fuller & Co., and W. H. Beharrell of Heywood Bros. & Wakefield company, as members of the executive committee from Portland. They were unanimously chosen.

A. E. Dovers suggested the name of W. A. Mears as secretary of the association. It was explained that a man to successfully occupy that position must be thoroughly acquainted not only as a business man but must also have a complete knowledge of railroads and their systems. In view of these qualifications he suggested that Mr. Mears be appointed. The suggestion was generally acceptable, but no action was taken at the meeting.

Mr. Mears will leave for Tacoma in a few days to assist in organizing the branch at that place. From there he will go to Seattle with the same object in view.

In explaining the objects of the organization Mr. Mears insisted that the North Pacific Jobbers' and Manufacturers' association did not in any way conflict with the Pacific coast association. He urged that the two organizations should work in harmony, and suggested that eventually they would be a part of one organization.

## BRICK AND A HALF KEEPS PENCILS BUSY

Here are some of the answers to the question The Journal propounded: If a brick weighs seven pounds and a half brick, what does a brick and a half weigh?

So thick and fast have these answers poured in that it is impossible to print all of them in hand today. The Sunday Journal will contain the answers to the problem received late, together with its pictorial solution:

**A BRICK OF AN ANSWER.**  
Portland, May 4.—To the Editor of The Journal—If a brick weighs seven pounds and half of a brick, what will a brick and a half weigh? If a brick weighs seven pounds and half of a brick, a brick weighs 10 1/2 pounds, a brick and a half of a brick will weigh 15 3/4 pounds, all things being in equal proportion.  
J. C. A.

**RELIEVING THE STRAIN.**  
Portland, May 4.—To the Editor of The Journal—The brick question is simple. If a brick weighs seven pounds and a half brick, one brick will weigh two-thirds of a brick weight. If a brick weighs seven pounds and half of a brick is 10 1/2 pounds, and a half brick is 3 1/2 pounds. Answer, 15 3/4 pounds.  
C. L.

**"IT'S EASY."**  
Portland, May 4.—To the Editor of The Journal—Please publish my estimate of weight of this brick. 15 3/4 pounds.  
W. D. B.

**GUESSES THREE TWICE.**  
Portland, May 5.—To the Editor of The Journal—In answer to your brick problem will offer the following: If a brick weighs 7 pounds and half a brick, 7 plus 3 1/2 equals 10 1/2, the weight of a brick.  
Answer, 15 3/4 pounds.  
If that won't do, 10 1/2 pounds and three-fourths of a brick. GUESSEY.

**SUBJECTS A CATCH.**  
Glendale, Or., May 4.—To the Editor of The Journal—My solution is: If a brick weighs 7 pounds and a half a brick, a brick and a half will weigh 7 pounds. I consider the weight of a brick and a half as included in the 7 pounds.  
CLARA REDFIELD.

**A LETTER BRICK.**  
Portland, May 5.—To the Editor of The Journal—A brick and a half weighs 10 1/2 pounds.  
W. STANTOR.

**BY SIMPLE FRACTIONS.**  
Mount Angel, Or., May 4.—To the Editor of The Journal—I have tried to solve your brick problem and I think I have it correctly. The solution is: Seven pounds and one-half of seven pounds (three and one-half) equals 10 1/2 or weight of brick.  
The brick weighs 10 1/2 pounds, one-half of the brick weighs five and one-quarter pounds. Therefore, one brick (10 1/2 pounds) and one-half a brick (five and one-quarter pounds) or one-half of 10 1/2 will weigh 15 3/4 plus five and one-quarter or 15 3/4 pounds, weight of one and one-half a brick.  
A. B.

## GRACE CHURCH IS NEWLY DECORATED

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## CUSTOMS RECEIPTS SHOW INCREASE

IMPORT DUTIES FOR APRIL ARE ALMOST TWICE THOSE OF MARCH—REPORTS MUCH LESS THAN THE PRECEDING MONTH—STATEMENT OF TRANSACTIONS.

A statement of the custom house transactions for the month of April just past shows that the exports amounted to \$529,176, compared with \$37,490 for the month of March. The duties on imports were almost twice as great as they were for the preceding month, amounting to \$7,531.99. The statement in detail is as follows:

Vessels entered from foreign ports, 4; vessels cleared for foreign ports, 11; vessels entered from domestic ports, 23; vessels cleared for domestic ports, 105; entries of merchandise for duty, 20; entries of merchandise free of duty, 18; entries for warehouse, 12; entries for export to adjacent British provinces, 4; entries for rewarehouse, 4; entries from warehouse for consumption, 40; entries for immediate transportation without appraisal, 20; total entries of all kinds, 292; entries for consumption liquidated, 107; certificates of warehouse liquidated, 15; certificates of rewarehouse, 1; certificates of entry, 10; licenses for coasting trade granted, 7; licenses to vessels under 20 tons granted, 1; total number of documents to vessels issued, 14.

Value of exports, domestic, \$529,176.

Receipts from all sources: \$77,912.48

Duties on imports: \$77,912.48

Fines, penalties and forfeitures: \$1.95

Miscellaneous custom receipts: \$86.40

April: \$77,912.48

March: \$42,342.53

Official fees: \$46.90

Total: \$77,912.48

Amount of refunds and drawbacks: \$237.65

The value of domestic exports during the first four months of the year 1904 was as follows:

January: \$431,611

February: \$28,342

March: \$37,490

April: \$529,176

The total receipts of the district for each month were as follows:

January: \$54,142.48

February: \$51,641.22

March: \$46,146.14

April: \$77,912.48

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## M. SCHULPIUS HELD NOT GUILTY

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## MT. TABOR WANTS TO INCORPORATE

Finding there is no further hope of annexation to the city Mt. Taborites may next try their hand at incorporation. Sewerage, water and protection in case of fire are badly needed by the residents, and they can see no other way out of the dilemma than to petition for incorporation.

Among those favoring annexation who have come out in favor of incorporation are: B. T. Debnay, George E. Andrews, Dr. Simmins, A. L. Rumsay and others. Andrews was in favor of annexation only after a city government had been formed and improvements secured.

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