

ROLL OUT FOR OREGON

Commercial Club's President Reviews Extensive Advertising Work Conducted by Business Organization in 1907—Year of Progress.

New Year greeting of President Hodson to Portland Commercial Club:

The Portland Commercial Club today has a larger membership than at any time in its history, and early during the present year we will move into the best and most modern home owned by any similar organization in the western portion of the United States, and I am certain that its equipment will be used by its members, as it has been in the past, in every way possible for the betterment of the community which it represents.

At noonday luncheon today the board of governors of the Portland Commercial Club held its first regular meeting of 1908, and the general topic was progress made during the year just closed and rapidly brightening outlook for Portland in the next 12 months.

President C. W. Hodson in a short address to the board said:

"You and other members of this club and citizens of Portland are busy with your own affairs, and naturally get only a vague idea of the almost unlimited amount of advertising that is being received by this city and section. On the last day of the year there closed what was known as a prize contest, in which \$500 was offered by the executive committee of this club for articles printed in papers outside of Oregon and Washington.

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Publicity in Oregon. The work of the club in inducing immigration, in connection with the Oregon Development League, brought results that were phenomenal, and this campaign will continue throughout 1908. Letters weekly to the newspapers printed in the states of Oregon and Washington, and the clippings from this work amounting as high as 500 columns a month.

The same policy is carried on with regard to eastern newspapers and magazines, and at present agricultural, dairy and horticultural publications are arriving from all sections of the country containing accounts relative to the dairy opportunities in this state—this being a result of the recent dairy convention held at the University of Oregon.

The Dairy association now has on hand sufficient funds with which to print an exhaustive report of the proceedings, and these will be distributed to the club in an advertising way.

"At this time I want to call attention to the fact that the country is better equipped to entertain visitors than Portland, and this will be especially useful during 1908, when the Alaska-Pacific exposition will be held in this city. Besides the Commercial Club, we have a splendidly equipped Elks' club, the University of Oregon, and the East Side. The fraternalists have erected homes that are second to none in the country, the Masonic Grand Lodge being one of the finest buildings in the United States, while the Y. M. C. A. Y. W. C. A. is to be hurried to completion, and this is only a part of what has been accomplished.

Year of Progress. "The past year, in fact, has been a glorious one for this city and state, and I desire to call particular attention to the organization of the Oregon Development League, which will be an important factor in developing one of the greatest industries in this part of the United States.

JUDGE BRONAUGH SITS ON FIRST CASE Judge Bronaugh's first case in the circuit court involves decision of the question as to whether S. A. Miles should be compelled to pay Dr. Thomas Darling \$400, which the latter claims to have paid on misrepresentation in buying lots and in block of Pleasant View addition. Dr. Darling says Miles sold him all of the lots for \$25,000, but he afterward found that Miles did not own the South 15 feet portion of the lots and could not convey title to it. The defendant interposed a question of equity, but this was decided in favor of the plaintiff. A jury is hearing the evidence.

SLAPJACK MINE GOES TO YOSEMITE COMPANY (United Press Landed Wire.) Washington, Jan. 5.—The United States supreme court today gave the title of the "Slapjack" mine in Yosemite county, California, to the Yosemite Gold Mining company.

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CONTRACTORS HATED SOUR LEMON BY HARRIMAN

Construction Camps Heavily Stocked With Provisions at Big Expense When Shut Down Orders Came—Those Handling Grading Contracts Lose.

Although no charge is made of open violation of contracts, it is said President E. H. Harriman of the Southern Pacific and O. R. & N. is holding up Oregon railroad contractors for about \$200,000 of money involved in the installation of construction equipment and the provisioning of camps that were erected for the winter season's work on Harriman railroad extension in Oregon.

Of all the contractors who are concerned in the suspension of railroad work only one firm said it had no complaint to make. Practically all are in the same condition. Not a man is at work on railroad construction on any Harriman line in Oregon.

Cold-Storage Camps. At the same time the Southern Pacific is continuing its construction of a railroad between Klamath Falls and San Francisco and is prosecuting work on the Ilwaco extension in the state of Washington. The line from Elgin to Joseph in Wallowa county, held up the road from Drain to Coos Bay, is in "cold storage," and the straightening of the main line between Portland and Cascade Locks is practically abandoned.

The mid-Oregon road got no further than a survey. The Willaburg-Beaverton railway, 13 miles, with a bridge over the Willaburg river at Willaburg, has been stopped after all camps had been installed and provisioned for four months' work and 7,000 yards of grading.

The Pacific Railway & Navigation company's line between Portland and Tillamook City has been in suspension since November 1, and all camps and equipments are idle. The equipment for this work was taken by boat and over the mountains at great expense by the contractors and owing to the distance from market a large amount of provisions were bought and stored in camps for the winter season.

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Public Park This Summer Will Draw Crowds to Council Crest Council Crest, the most interesting point around Portland, will be open to the public next season. The hill top will be changed into a public amusement park, and will be thoroughly cleaned up and put into attractive shape. A. Duchamp, who constructed the successful Lewis and Clark camp for the Oregon Development League, is an amusement man of considerable experience, has secured a lease of the park and has set a large crew at work clearing off the old stumps, carting away garbage accumulations of the last few years and putting the park into respectable shape once more.

Among the attractions will be a building for the exhibition of moving pictures showing views in the Pacific coast states. The station, which is also nearing completion and the 230-foot main has been placed in shape for receiving wireless messages. A bulletin board will be placed at the station and during the summer months news bulletins received by wireless will be posted there. The hill is 1,300 feet above the city and is always swept by cool breezes, the temperature ranging from 70 to 10 degrees, cool and bracing.

Chinese Forced to Clean House by City Officials Second street had a cleaning up in December that will prepare the celestials living on the thoroughfare for a state of health little dreamed of when first they came to this country, according to the December report of the city health officer.

Deputy Health Officer H. G. Parker was in charge of the work, and started at one end of Chinatown, and went down the line ordering the Chinamen to clean, sweep, scrub and fumigate until the old buildings fairly shone in cleanliness. The places put in a sanitary condition under Dr. Parker's orders were Nos. 71, 80, 82, 86, 87, 89, 93, 95, 97, 128, 129, 130, 181, 185, 187 and 187 1/2.

PORTLAND MILKMEN FAIL TO KEEP THEIR STABLES CLEAN "Worse sanitary conditions could not possibly exist and the photographs which I submit will prove the assertion." Is the manner in which Mrs. Sarah Evans, city market inspector, referred to a number of milk dairies transacting business in Portland in her December report to the city health board this morning.

The photographs are the ones reproduced in the Journal several weeks ago and show a deplorable condition existing. Action will be taken by the board, urging the city council to hasten the proposed city laboratory and city chemist.

Mrs. Evans reported that she had made 23 visits in December and in the place condemned a crate of turkeys which were afterward destroyed. A consignment of bad walnuts were detected and their sale stopped by the market inspector. Following are the visits recorded by Mrs. Evans in December:

Michigan Poultry Show. (United Press Landed Wire.) Detroit, Mich. Jan. 6.—What is expected to be one of the most notable exhibitions of fancy poultry and pet stock ever seen in this section of the country will be held in the Light Guard armory here next week, under the auspices of the Michigan State Poultry association. The association has a membership of several hundred fanciers living in all parts of Michigan. The management is working hard to make the coming show the banner one in the history of the association. In addition to the customary display of all varieties of poultry, pigeons and pet stock a number of novelties will be offered. Among these will be a complete plant for hatching and rearing chicks by electricity.

County Attorneys Meet. (United Press Landed Wire.) Lewiston, Idaho, Jan. 6.—County attorneys of Idaho are assembling here for the annual meeting of their state association, at which will be discussed legislative and other matters of common interest. The convention will be session three days, ending with a banquet Wednesday night.

Mrs. Charles Scadding, wife of the Episcopal bishop of Oregon, has been confined to her room at Bishopcraft with a severe attack of grip as Christmas.

RECEIVER FOR DAY CITY BANK Weak Heart Action

Depositors and Stockholders Agree to Insolvency of California Trust.

(United Press Landed Wire.) San Francisco, Jan. 6.—All obstacles in the way of an appointment of a receiver for the California Safe Deposit & Trust company were this afternoon cleared away when Attorney Wells, representing the new board of directors, filed a formal consent in the county clerk's office to the appointment of a temporary receiver and Attorney Bergstrand, representing the depositors' association, entered into a like agreement with Attorney-General Webb.

The only postponement now in the way of appointment of a receiver in the writ of intervention filed some time ago by Frank R. Warren, a depositor, and Milton Uren has agreed to the appointment of a temporary receiver. It is probable that this writ will be dismissed.

Receiver Needed. "There is no question but what there must be an immediate appointment of a receiver to look after the assets of the company," responded Warren Olney, Jr., who represented the Western Pacific railway, the largest single depositor.

Attorney Milton Uren, representing Frank R. Warren, who had intervened in the matter, stated that although his client was opposed to the appointment of a receiver, he would agree to the appointment of a temporary receiver.

Where Japs Control Labor Situation (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Los Angeles, Jan. 6.—While the resources of every charitable organization in the city are taxed to the limit in caring for the destitute families of unemployed white laborers; with soup kitchens established by the Salvation Army to feed half-broiled white men reduced to that condition by enforced idleness; with the railroads repatriating hundreds of starving Mexicans, who, in the fortnight since construction work was stopped by the utility corporation, have become public charges, an anomalous social and industrial condition is presented in the fact that practically every Japanese resident of the city is employed and apparently prospering.

Less than a year ago there was a large influx of Japanese to the city and contiguous points. They went to work as coolies, but the central Japanese organization in San Francisco obtained control of the orchards and agricultural lands, by lease or otherwise, and the brown men quickly supplanted all other labor. They now control the situation.

Officials Indicted (Continued from Page One.) The section under which the three indictments, charging conversion, refusal to pay on demand and loss of money, provides a penalty of imprisonment for not less than one year or more than 15 years, and a fine of double the amount involved in the crime.

Maximum of Forty-five Years. Inasmuch as the specific violations charged in the present indictment each refer to different offenses, it will be possible to prosecute all of them, and should conviction come in all, the defendants would stand liable to a minimum imprisonment of three years and a maximum sentence of forty-five years, with a fine of double the amounts involved, which would be many hundreds of dollars.

Refused to Pay. The fourth indictment charging receipt of deposits is brought under section 18 of the new banking law, which reads as follows: "Section 18.—The owners or officers of any bank who shall receive any deposit knowing that such bank is insolvent shall be deemed guilty of a felony and punished upon conviction by a fine not exceeding \$1,000 or imprisonment in the state workhouse for not less than two years or by both such fine and imprisonment at the discretion of the court."

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Rio De Janeiro Plans Entertainment for United States Fleet.

(United Press Landed Wire.) Rio de Janeiro, Jan. 6.—When the battalions of Admiral Evans' fleet steam into the harbor here January 11 those on board will find a splendid welcome awaiting them. Rio Janeiro is going to spread itself to show the American officers and men how much Brazilians can do in the way of entertaining when they extend themselves. The grand pavilion near the water's edge has been placed at the disposal of the sailors and marines.

WOODMEN BANQUET AT THE DALLES

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) The Dalles, Or., Jan. 6.—The Modern Woodmen of America are planning an elaborate commemoration of the silver anniversary of the order for Tuesday evening. Besides a banquet, a glass of more than 30 will be initiated. Some prominent speakers are expected. The local camp is flourishing, and the large number of initiates is the result of a membership campaign which has been waged for some weeks.

DRY TIMES FOR MINORS AND TOPERS

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) The Dalles, Or., Jan. 6.—The drastic ordinance governing the department of justice, the treasury department tonight notified the collector of customs for the Puget sound and other Pacific ports that foreign coal consigned to Admiral Evans' battleship fleet must pay regular tariff duties.

Taft's Tour on the Stage.

(United Press Landed Wire.) New York, Jan. 6.—The new musical comedy, "Funabush," by Irving Cobb and Safford Waters, is to have its initial presentation tonight at the Casino Theatre. The play, which was the world tour of Secretary Taft, and takes its title from the name of a Japanese town in which the incidents are supposed to occur.

Work for 3,200 Hands.

(United Press Landed Wire.) Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—The bill will plant in the Chesapeake river reservation, which has been closed for a number of weeks, resumed operations about 3,200 people.

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