LEWISTON HOLDS HAND OF WELCOME

Idaho Business Men Come to Urge Attendance at Blossom Carnival.

A party of prominent business men of Lewiston and Clarkston came to Portland today to urge a large attendance of representative Portland business men at the Lewiston-Clarkston Blossom Festival May 3 and 4. The visitors called upon numerous local wholesalers and manufacturers, and were in turn entertained by representatives of the local commercial organizations. They will remain several days.

In the party are Senator Henry Heitfeld, Lewiston; E. H. Libbey of the Lewiston & Clarkston Irrigation company; Frank Campbell, Idaho Ice & Cold Storage company; C. W. Mount, general agent O. R. & N. Co. at Lewiston; Fred M. Hinckley of the Clarkston State bank; E. C. Mason, secretary Lewiston Commercial club; H. L. Powers, president Lewiston Land & Water company.

"While the opening of the new railroad from Riparia to Lewiston is a great thing for Portland, we realize that it is a good thing for us out there in the Clearwater basin, and we feel that it is of mutual benefit for our people to get into closer touch with Portland and the other large coast cities," said Senator Heitfeld at the Portland hotel.

"Railroad developments are making of Lewiston an important commercial center, and the commercial growth of that region is certain to continue until it becomes one of the most important of the inland business centers of the western country. We have a great fruit and grain growing region, and the Clarkston river, with its three long arms, holds the key to one of the greatest bodies of standing timber on the Pacific coast.

"The Oregon Short Line now building from Huntington north along the Snake river will not stop until it reaches Lewiston."

The Riparia-Lewiston road will shorten the trip between Portland and Lewiston to about 12 hours, making it five to six hours shorter than by the present route by boat from Lewiston to Riparia and thence via the O. R. & N. to Portland.

MEYER MUST PAY MONEY TO HIS WIFE

After wading through a stack of affidavits that were about as contradictory as could be framed, regarding the financial condition and income of Otto Meyer, Presiding Judge Cleland in the circuit court this morning made an order directing Meyer to pay his wife $100 pending the trial of the case.

Judge Cleland also gave judgment in the case of Minnie M. Clayson against William Clayson, directing that the plaintiff pay over $60 per month to the plaintiff for the remainder of her natural life.

Judgment for plaintiff was given on mechanic's lien in the case of F. F. Burfitt against W. C. Moore.

An amended complaint will have to be filed in the case of the Frankfort Marine, Accident & Plate Glass Insurance company against the Portland Gas company, a demurrer being sustained on two points. This is the case in which the gas company is charged with misrepresenting the amount of its payroll in order to reduce the premiums paid for assurance of its employes by the plaintiff.

JAPANESE-AMERICAN BANK IS OPENED

A new bank to be known as the Japanese-American bank, organized by H. A. Meyers, formerly associated with J. A. Bloch, was opened today. The bank has purchased the fixtures and furniture of the old Hartman & Thompson bank in the Chamber of Commerce building. The new bank is located on Burnside street, between Fourth and Fifth streets.

Hartman & Thompson today completed the removal of their bank to its new quarters in the Chamber of Commerce building, and are regularly open for business there.

The owners of the Chamber of Commerce building will immediately refit the former banking rooms of Hartman & Thompson for use of the Standard Trust company.

WANT WATER MAINS THROUGH 'SUBURB

Ellis G. Hughes and several property owners in Irvington appeared before the water board this morning and asked to have water mains extended through the suburb. No action was taken except informally and the petitioners were requested to put their petition in writing that the board can take decisive action. It is not believed that the board will grant the request because of the lack of funds. Hughes and the others stated today that they are willing to put in the mains if the city will furnish the water if a satisfactory arrangement can be made.

GRAND JURY WILL INDICT RAILROADS

(United Press Leased Wire.)

St. Louis, April 10.—Indictments against the Missouri Pacific and Frisco lines and probably other railroads charged with granting rebates, are expected as the result of an investigation which is being made by the grand jury now in session in Little Rock.

Cure for Drunkenness

Orrine Treatment to Be Used at Home Without Publicity, or Loss of Time From Business.

The best aid to temperance is something that will strengthen the drunkard's wrecked nervous system and cure his unnatural craving for drink. We believe that any man who really desires to be cured of the liquor habit can cure himself by using Orrine. This remarkable treatment has made so many cures that we are glad to sell it under an absolute guarantee to refund the money if it does not cure.

It is in two forms: No. 1, that can be given secretly, and No. 2, for those who wish to be cured. It is not only the most reliable treatment known, but it is also the most economical, as it costs only $1 a box, and there is no detention from the usual duties, while if a cure is not effected, there is no expense whatever. Mail orders filled on receipt of price in plain sealed package. Write for free booklet. The Orrine Co., Washington, D. C., or Clarke-Wood ward Drug Co., and nearly all druggists in Portland.

Foster & Kleiser Signs.

DOORS TO GATEWAY WILL SOON SWING OPEN

Traffic Manager of S. P. Says Traffic Question Soon Settled.

It is expected by Charles S. Fee, passenger traffic manager of the Southern Pacific, that the Portland gateway will not be long closed, but that the question will be adjusted within a few days and tickets sold as rormerly by Union Pacific agents in the east through to Puget sound points.

Mr. Fee arrived today in Portland in his private car "Sunset" from Chicago. He is accompanied by Mrs. Fee, and is en route to his headquarters at San Francisco. He expects there will be a very large movement of tourist travel from California via Portland to the east this summer, and a great deal of coast travel between southern California and Portland.

The low rates and the various excursion parties that have visited north and south in the last year or two have had a good effect in stimulating travel. There is more interest felt today in common between the people of Oregon and California than ever before, and they are exchanging a great many business and social courtesies. There will be a large attendance of California people at the Portland Rose Festival. Many Pacific northwest people have been visiting San Francisco since the fire, and business exchanges have increased. Many California people have in recent years invested heavily in Portland business property and securities.

FULTON TO AID IN BULL RUN MATTER

At a meeting of the water board this morning City Attorney Kavanaugh was instructed to take up the city's rights on the Bull Run river with Senator C. W. Fulton to prepare an act that will insure the city absolute rights in the reserve.

When Senator Fulton was in Portland last fall on his way to Washington several members of the water board had a conference with him relative to the subject, and it was decided at that time that the only feasible way to protect the city's interests would be to secure federal legislation. Senator Fulton promised his support to the project, and with City Attorney Kavanaugh will draft an act to accomplish this object.

Members of the board this morning voted for the erection of a pumping station on Council Crest to furnish residents in that vicinity with water. The station is to have a capacity of 250,000 gallons every 24 hours. Bids will be advertised for, and work started as early as possible.

The board decided to postpone the erection of an office and warehouse for the east side water department until next year. The plans and specifications that have been prepared will be purchased from the architect and used when the structure is erected next year. The building is to cost about $19,000, and the action of the board today was taken because of the lack of funds.

FAILS TO SUSTAIN SUIT IN EQUITY

Judge Gantenbein in the circuit court this morning gave judgment for the defendant in the case of E. S. J. McAllister against the American Hospital association and others. McAllister sued for an accounting, alleging that the stock had been juggled to defeat his interests. Judge Gantenbein decided that the certificate of stock issued by the association to McAllister was irregularly issued, and that he therefore cannot sustain a suit in equity. The court added that it is plain that McAllister has rendered services that should be paid for, but recovery should be sought in an action at law. McAllister secured five days in which to prepare a motion for a new trial.

THREE DAYS' PICNIC OF LINN PIONEERS

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Albany, Or., April 10.—The Linn County Pioneer association will hold its annual reunion at Brownsville, June 17 to 19, inclusive. Special attention will be given to sports and recreation. Ball games are being arranged. The Chemawa Indian team will be one of those contesting. All games of chance are to be prohibited. There will be balloon ascensions on two of the three days of the picnic, and the best of music at all hours every day. Speakers of prominence will be secured.

LA FOLLETTE'S MEN ACTIVE IN IDAHO

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Boise, Ida., April 10.—At the Republican county convention to be held in this city May 7 to elect delegates to the state convention at Wallace, May 12, there will no doubt be a lively contest between the La Follette and the Taft men. For a time Taft sentiment seemed very strong, but the number of La Follette's friends is increasing at a surprising rate. His followers claim the county has been polled and that the poll shows the Wisconsin senator far in the lead. Many of the young Republican voters of the county are supporters of La Follette and his policies.

MORMONS DISCUSS MATTER OF MARRIAGE

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Independence, Mo., April 9.—The general conference of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints, at today's session, took up the matter of marriage and divorce. It was expected that a revelation on the subject would come before the end of the day's work.

The conference has decided to erect a monument to Joseph Smith at Nauvoo, Illinois.

SALEM REGISTRATION LIGHTER THIS YEAR

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Salem, Or., April 9.—The registration for this city totals 1,733, as against 2,017 of two years ago. The registration for the entire county will probably not be calculated until the end of the week. The per centage of Republican voters is about the same.

PROHIBITION LAW IS UPHELD IN ALABAMA

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Montgomery, Ala., April 9.—The general prohibition and the 9 o'clock closing law were held to be constitutional by the state supreme court today.

Corvallis' March Weather.

Corvallis, Or., April 10.—According to the weather records at the Oregon Agricultural college experiment station the rainfall in this city last month was 4.33 inches. The greatest precipitation for 24 hours was 1.74 on the 12th. There were 17 rainy days, 13 clear days, 9 partly sunny and 10 cloudy. There were light snow falls on the morning of the 3d and frosts on the 3d, 4th, 6th, 8th, 9th, 18th, 19th, 21st, 22d and 27th. The mornings of the 9th and 13th were foggy. The highest temperature was 69 on the 23d and the lowest 27 on the 4th.

SPEND $60,000 TO ENLARGE CHURCH

Plans have practically been decided upon by the members of the First Presbyterian church to enlarge the structure so that it will cover the entire half block. The total cost of the improvements will be $60,000. The plans were discussed and approved at the annual meeting of the congregation last night but must be submitted to the congregation again for approval as soon as they are more definitely arranged.

As they were discussed last night the plans are to move the manse from its present location behind the church so that the Sunday school rooms may be enlarged and the building remodeled on that side. The building will then extend to Thirteenth street. It is almost certain that the plans will be approved by the congregation.

At the meeting last night the following board of trustees was elected for the ensuing year: Jacob Kamm, W. W. Cotton, H. C. Campbell, Frank Robertson, W. R. MacKenzie, W. A. MacRae and John M. Scott.

The elders of the First Presbyterian church including those chosen last night are as follows: E. Quackenbush, R. K. Warren, W. M. Ladd, S. R. Johnston, Robert Livingstone, C. R. Templeton, F. C. Cooper, Dr. G. M. Wells, Jesse J. Ross, B. A. Baxter, A. S. Pattullo, Miller Murdoch, J. F. Ewing, Fletcher Linn and John S. Meek. The last seven were elected last night, all but the last two of which were elected for three years to succeed themselves. Mr. Linn and Mr. Meek were elected to fill vacancies.

The following deacons were elected last night: John E. Davis, to succeed himself, and J. H. Sidey, James Cormack and George B. Cellars, to fill vacancies. The other deacons that make up the board are Dr. A. S. Nichols and W. D. Fraley. J. F. Ewing was re-elected superintendent of the Sunday school. Jacob Kamm is president of the board of trustees. Frank Robertson is secretary and A. C. Rae is treasurer.

The financial reports showed an exceedingly prosperous year. Over $8,000 more was contributed for missionary purposes than during the previous year. The year was closed with no outstanding debts and a neat balance in the treasury.

BUD REDD GETS GOOD RED BUD

"I'm a fighter, I am," cried Bud Redd, a chocolate-colored negro, in front of the Fenton building at Sixth and Oak streets at noon today. Starting in to make good his challenge he attacked S. H. Crawford of Berringer & Crawford and laid him low. Crawford sprang up again and Redd began belaboring him with an umbrella. A huge crowd collected and separated Redd and Crawford, but the champion was still anxious to fight.

His next opponent was Detective Tom Coleman, who forced him against the ropes long enough to land him in the patrol wagon and in jail. Redd hadn't been in the city jail five minutes before he had attacked his fellow prisoners, bitten the ear nearly off of Jack Copeland, a prisoner, and started a row that took a quarter of an hour's hard work to quell. He was placed in solitary confinement. It is believed he is insane from the use of drugs.

MEDICAL COLLEGE PART OF STANFORD

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, April 10.—An event of far-reaching importance to Stanford university is announced in the news that that institution of learning has taken over the Cooper Medical college, located at Sacramento and Webster streets, San Francisco. Hereafter the medical institution will be a part of the university.

Plans for the affiliation have been under consideration for some time, but they were not perfected until yesterday. The terms of the affiliation provide that the university acquires the college in perpetuity, with no conditions except that the study of medicine and names of Cooper and Lane hospitals be retained.

The Cooper Medical college was founded in 1882 by Dr. Levi Cooper Lane in honor of his uncle, Dr. Elias Samuel Cooper. The endowment amounts to $1,000,000, including buildings, equipment and the estate of Dr. Lane.

SOLD AN INTEREST HE DIDN'T OWN

A civil suit with a body judgment asked for was filed today in the circuit court against R. A. Wade, head of the Portland agency of the anti-scalper's association. The suit was brought by William H. Shea Sr., who claims that Wade induced him to purchase a one half share in property in Frankfort, Washington, for $1,500, when in reality Wade had no intention of fulfilling his part of the agreement and did not own any interest in the property.

WOMAN SENTENCED FOR DRUCE PERJURY

(United Press Leased Wire.)

London, April 10.—Miss Mary Robinson was today sentenced to four years' imprisonment for perjury in the famous Druce will contest, which was recently ended.

After she pleaded guilty Miss Robinson's attorneys raised a question concerning her sanity, but the matter was not pressed. Miss Robinson claims to be the daughter of a Virginia planter.

FOREIGN AUTOS LEAVE FRISCO

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, April 10.—Two foreign cars in the international auto race from New York to Paris, the French machine Di Dion and the Zust, carrying the Italian racers, left San Francisco today on the Pacific coast steamer City of Pueblo, bound for Puget sound ports. From Seattle the racers will journey to Valdez, Alaska, where they have every hope of overtaking the American representative in the Thomas flyer.

FIRE DESTROYS LOS ANGELES SCHOOL

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Los Angeles, April 10.—Fire resulting from a defective flue destroyed the grammar school building in the suburb of Colegrove today, entailing a loss of $6,000.

The 350 pupils were formed into lines and quickly marched out of the burning building without the least semblance of disorder.

Funeral of Captain DuBois.

The funeral of Captain Charles E. DuBois, a veteran of the Civil war and former prominent Portland business man, who died at Astoria yesterday morning, will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, from Finley's chapel. George Wright post, G. A. R., and Harmony lodge A. F. & A. M. will have charge of the funeral services.

Metzger, jeweler, optician, 342 Wash.

Handsome Residence Sold.

W. S. Bridges has sold his handsome residence at 622 Elm street, Portland Heights. The house is of the bungalow type and is one of the most attractive private homes in the city. It is understood that $15,000 was paid for the house and quarter block. The property was purchased by a local investor whose name has not been given out.

NOTORIOUS THIEF UNDER ARREST

"Kid" Horne in Toils at San Francisco After Committing Numerous Crimes.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, April 10.—C. E. Horton, alias "Kid" Horne, one of the most notorious pickpockets in the world, was picked up last night and is held in detinue by the police.

Seven years ago Horton, alias Horne, figured in the Colonial gambling house robbery in this city, with Johnny Piggott. Three masked men walked into the place and at the point of revolvers, secured $50,000 from the different gaming tables, put the loot in a sack and disappeared. Horton and Piggott were arrested but no tangible evidence could be obtained against them, nor could the third man be located. They were finally turned loose.

In the last three months Horne was arrested in various places throughout the United States, including Los Angeles and several times in San Francisco.

BLODGETT CASE POSTPONED AGAIN

George L. Blodgett, once sentenced to hang for killing a woman in a north end lodging-house, now awaiting a new trial under the direction of the supreme court, suffered a disappointment this morning. His case had been set for trial next Monday, April 13, but it has been found impossible to secure the attendance of witnesses from Montana on that date, and the case had to be reset.

Blodgett's attorney, humoring the whim of Blodgett, who firmly believes that 13 is his lucky number, asked that the case be set for June 13, there being no open date in May. That date was not available, and the prisoner's attorney then asked for June 23. But 23 was also impossible, and the court set the case for June 11, the list of hoodoo dates having been exhausted.

HOSPITAL SHIP TO REJOIN BIG FLEET

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Vallejo, Cal., April 10.—Orders have been received at the Mare Island yard for the hospital ship Relief to sail today for southern waters to rejoin the battleship fleet. The ship coaled this morning.

The order came as a surprise, as it was thought the ship would remain here for a longer period.

Work on the Maryland and West Virginia is being rushed, so they can go to Bremerton navy yard to be docked April 17. They will rejoin the Pacific fleet May 1.

The collier Justin will be docked here tomorrow, preparatory to returning to the Pacific fleet, where the ship's services are badly needed.

POLICE HELD UP IN TERMINAL YARDS

An unknown hobo held up Patrolman Parker at the muzzle of a gun in the terminal yards at an early hour this morning and then made his escape, two shots from the officer's revolver proving ineffectual in checking the flight of the man.

Patrolmen Addison and Parker had met an incoming freight train in the terminal yards for the purpose of taking charge of incoming hoboes. Addison had corraled three men at the head of the train and Parker one at the rear end when the latter hobo drew a gun and pointed it at the head of Parker. As the latter stepped back and reached for his own weapon the hobo turned and ran, dodging in and out among the cars in the yards. Parker fired two shots over the fugitive's head, but the man did not stop and finally escaped in the darkness.

FLEET'S VISIT AT SEATTLE EXTENDED

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Washington, April 10.—Secretary of the Navy Metcalf today decided to extend the visit of the Atlantic fleet at Seattle. Representatives Humphrey, Cushman and Jones of Washington visited the president and Secretary Metcalf today and stated that the people of Washington were greatly disappointed because the ships would stay no longer than outlined in Secretary Metcalf's program of Wednesday.

After the conferences Metcalf announced that the fleet would not leave Seattle until May 27, and that the remainder of the Puget sound itinerary would, therefore, be set back one day.

JUST LIKE OLD POCAHONTAS DAYS

Mrs. Mary A. Stark has begun suit in the circuit court for $10,000 damages against John H. Epler and his wife, charging that Epler assaulted her with a hatchet, beating her with it while his wife used her fists. She alleges that she was thrown into a door-casing and severely injured. The affair took place on September 20. Besides the $10,000 Mrs. Stark wants $750 to pay the doctors and $250 more for hospital fees.

RESIDENT OF OREGON MANY YEARS

Mrs. E. C. Hansbrough who died at Crystal Springs sanitarium at Mount Tabor, April 7, had been a resident of Oregon since 1876. She was born and

Mrs. E. C. Hansbrough.

reared at Elizabethtown, Kentucky, and was at the time of her death 88 years, 11 months, and 13 days old. Her only living children are J. M. Hansbrough of Roseburg, formerly a member of the legislature, and United States Senator H. C. Hansbrough of North Dakota. The funeral will be held tomorrow at Roseburg.

Perfect fitting glasses $1 at Metzger's.

LABOR UNIONS FAVOR MUNICIPAL PLANT

Trades Council Will Adopt Resolutions Relative to City Light Question.

At the regular meeting of the Federated Trades council, to be held tonight in the hall at 205½ First street, it is expected that a resolution will be presented favoring the establishment of a municipal lighting plant. Practically without exception every labor leader in Portland is known to be in favor of the city building a plant to manufacture electricity for street lighting purposes. Intense opposition has arisen in the ranks of organized labor against the signing of a long-time contract with the Portland Railway, Light & Power company, to supply current for lighting the streets.

It is not thought likely that any action will be taken at tonight's meeting of the Trades council looking to a reorganization of that body in accordance with the resolution adopted two weeks ago, asking all affiliated unions to withdraw their delegates to the council and elect an entirely new set of representatives. All the unions will not have complied with the request to select new delegates before the latter part of this month, and the reorganization of the council will probably not take place until the first meeting in May.

DETECTIVES ON TRAIL OF PRINCE DE SAGAN

(United Press Leased Wire.)

New York, April 9.—In spite of all statements to the contrary, George Gould is still on the trail of Prince Helie de Sagan, who is seeking the hand of Mme. Gould, with a view to getting inside information as to his habits. That he has not abandoned his belligerent stand toward the prince is evidenced by the fact that he has engaged detectives to dog the prince's footsteps and has requested the chief of police of Paris to give him what information he may possess.

It is not likely that the Paris police could offer any assistance unless the prince in some way had committed an offense which might have been brought to the attention of the department, it is said.

Helie smiled today when told that Gould was seeking information concerning his past.

"I have nothing to conceal," he said. "Let him employ a thousand detectives if he cares to."

ONE JUROR SECURED FOR TRIAL OF RUEF

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, April 9.—One prospective juror to try Abe Ruef on the charge of bribing former Supervisor Jennings Phillips to vote in favor of granting a street railroad franchise to the Parkside Realty company was secured this morning. He is John Koeneman, a grocer. He will probably be dismissed on a peremptory challenge because he had served as a juror in the Older-Tevis libel case.

KOREAN'S DEFENSE PRESENTED TO JURY

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, April 9.—The defense in the case of In Whang Chang, the Korean who assassinated Durham White Stevens, and whose trial for the murder began Wednesday, commenced the presentation of its side of the case today.

The state consumed very little time in presenting its case. Henry Sexton and Lynden Crane, who witnessed the shooting, told the story of the tragedy, and the arresting officers gave their testimony. This concluded the state's case.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY BOARD OF TRADE

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Salem, Or., April 10.—The board of trade of this city has elected and installed the following officers: President, J. H. Albert; vice-president, C. L. McNary; secretary, A. F. Hofer; treasurer, D. J. Fry; directors, F. W. Powers, J. M. Lawrence, F. N. Derby, H. H. Olinger and H. W. Meyers. Speeches were made by the incoming officers and were heartily applauded.

Mrs. Elizabeth Baker Dead.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Weston, Or., April 10.—Mrs. Elizabeth B. Baker, one of the best known and highly respected women of this vicinity, died here Wednesday of pneumonia. The deceased was 85 years of age, and she was born in New London, Connecticut. She lived in Brooklyn, New York, during the greater portion of her lifetime, and came to Weston with her husband, J. W. Baker, 14 years ago. Her husband died three years after their arrival. Since that time she has made her home with her son, M. A. Baker, postmaster at Weston. She is also survived by a daughter, Miss Maude Baker of this place.

Spectacles $1.00 at Metzger's.

More Pay for Sailors.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Washington, April 10.—During a general debate in the house today on the naval appropriation bill, Representative Foss, chairman of the naval affairs committee, declared that the personnel of the navy was never so high as at present, and earnestly pleaded for an increase in the pay of the men aboard the fighting vessels.

Eye glasses $1.00 at Metzger's.

DAVIDOR IS OUT; M'CREDIE TO STAY

Washington Home Telephone & Telegraph Co. Is Reorganized.

Reorganization of the Washington Home Telephone & Telegraph company was effected last night at the company's offices in Portland. S. V. Davidor has resigned as a director and relinquished his interest in the corporation. Judge W. W. McCredie of Vancouver will withdraw his resignation and remain as president of the company.

As a result of the publication of facts concerning the methods of some of the promoters, sale of the company's securities to the public was stopped some time ago. By a deal between S. V. Davidor and J. A. Bloch the entire bond issue was contracted to be sold to Bloch, who expected to undertake a resale of the bonds to the public. The company's officers, learning of the deal, handed in their resignations. Their action brought matters to a climax, and after several meetings and conferences a settlement of the company's troubles was reached by the cancellation of Bloch's contract and the withdrawal of Davidor and Bloch from all connection with the company. Mr. Davidor today wrote the following statement for publication:

"The undersigned hereby gives notice to the public that he has severed all his connections with the Washington Home Telephone & Telegraph company as officer and as agent, and that all business affairs between him and the corporation have been adjusted and settled.

"S. V. DAVIDOR."

"Since the company's troubles have been settled," says Judge McCredie, "we here in Vancouver will stay with the proposition, and carry it forward. I will continue as president and Mr. Eaton will remain as vice-president. I favor Mr. Phillips, of the Vancouver bank, for secretary and treasurer. The company's main office will remain at Portland, as the corporation is an Oregon concern."

"All I can say now is that several propositions for reorganizing and financing the company are being considered," said Mr. Eaton. "Mr. Davidor is out of it. I have a contract providing that Mr. Bloch get out, and that the people who have purchased bonds will be given new bonds or their money refunded."

C. C. Craig, general manager of the Northwestern Long Distance Telephone company, with which Davidor claimed to have a contract for joint operation, said:

"Some time ago I made simply a toll station contract with D. J. Eaton, who said he wanted to establish an independent telephone company in Washington. It is the purpose and policy of the Northwestern to encourage and foster independent companies. We do anything we can to build up such concerns. I understand that the contract I gave Mr. Eaton has been turned over to Mr. Davidor with the name of the Washington Home Telephone company interlined in the place of Mr. Eaton's name. I believe Mr. Eaton is all right, but he got into a bad crowd. While it is our aim to help build up independent telephone companies, we do not make any connections with concerns that would try any questionable methods with the public."

NO QUORUM PRESENT, MEETING ADJOURNS

The Democratic county central committee, called together for the purpose of providing for a Democratic ticket in Multnomah county did not have a quorum present at the meeting in the Alisky building last night and for that reason no action was taken. A number of the members present discussed the question of putting a ticket in the field however.

According to Chairman George H. Thomas, who called the meeting together, no further action will be taken by the central committee until after the primaries. Mr. Thomas has taken the attitude that the central committee should not take a hand in soliciting candidates to come out in the race for different offices at least until after the nominations had been closed. He, therefore, did not call the central committee together until after that date and all the Democrats had been given an opportunity to become candidates if they desired.

When the nominations had been closed and all the candidates had filed their petitions he issued a call for the central committee to meet in order that plans for filling up the ticket might be discussed. The meeting of last night failing of a quorum, no further effort will be made by the organization unless it be after the primaries and before the election in June.

Metzger, optician, 342 Washington.

GOES TO ONTARIO TO ARREST GRACE REED

Sheriff Stevens has deputized Andrew G. Vaughn, former city detective, to go to Ontario, Canada, for the purpose of identifying the woman arrested there as Grace Reed, the negress who jumped her $1,000 bond after conviction on the charge of robbing a man of $550 in a resort on Flanders street.

The woman under arrest denies that she is Grace Reed. Vaughn knows the woman wanted here, and he was selected to make the journey for that reason. He has instructions to bring her back to Portland if he can identify her.

To Prohibit Gambling.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Washington, April 10.—A favorable reply was made to the house today on the bill prohibiting betting on races at the Bennings track.

DOG CLIMBED TO TOP OF EIFEL TOWER THEN FELL TO THE GROUND

The dog lay on the streetcar track. It was at Third and Washington streets. The dog was asleep. That is, maybe he was asleep. Probably he was only dozing.

A car was approaching. That is, getting nearer the dog. The dog slept on in apparent contentment. The hurrying pedestrians paid no attention to the listless animal.

All of a sudden some one sat up and took notice. It was a woman. She saw the dog. The woman was on the sidewalk. The dog still lay on the track. Dog paid no attention even yet to cars, wagons, policeman, scampering men and women, or anything.

The car continued to approach. The dog continued to lie quiet. The motorman rang his bell. The woman was dumbfounded. She wanted to rescue the dog. The car came nearer. The woman seemed unable to move.

The life of some one's dear little pet was at stake. The woman tried to call to the dog. She couldn't. She was dazed. The dog was to be killed, sure. On and on went the car. It was within a foot of the sleeping dog. The woman turned her head. She didn't want to witness such a tragedy.

Then the dog arose and hurried down the street.

TOURING PARTIES TO MAKE CITY RESTING SPOT FOR SEVERAL DAYS

Arrangements have been made whereby in the future all touring parties brought to Portland by the Raymond Whitcomb Tourist agency will remain here three days instead of 24 or 36 hours as has been the custom in the past. Twelve Raymond Whitcomb parties are scheduled to visit Portland during the coming summer. Most of the people are from the east and travel in parties of from 75 to 150.

H. C. Bowers of the Hotel Portland has been in communication with the representatives of the agency with a view of having the tourist parties stay in Portland longer than a day or day and a half. Yesterday Mr. Bowers received word that the change had been decided upon and that in the future Portland is to be made one of the resting places of all touring parties sent out by this company.

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AT EMERYVILLE TRACK TODAY

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Emeryville, April 10.—First race, seven furlongs, purse, 3-year-old maidens—Expectant (97, 12 to 1, 3 to 1, 3 to 5) won, Supine (97, 2 to 1, even) second, Onatassa (112, 1 to 2) third; time, 1:30.

HOOD RIVER HAS ITS COMMANDERY

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Hood River, Or., April 10.—With prominent visiting Masons from over the state present, the grand lodge officers of Oregon have started Hood River commandery No. 12 upon its career. The instituting ceremonial is said by grand lodge officers to have been one of the most interesting and successful ever carried through in the state.

The visitors were taken for an automobile tour of the valley, followed with luncheon at the Mount Hood hotel.

The work of instituting was conducted by the officers of the grand lodge, as follows: Frank Miller, right eminent grand commander, Albany; A. M. Knapp, deputy grand commander; James F. Robinson, grand recorder, Portland; Edward Kiddle, grand senior warden, La Grande; Henry Roe, grand sword bearer, Portland; D. G. Tomasini, grand commander of guard, Portland; L. C. Marshall, past grand commander, Albany.

The spacious lodgerooms of the local lodge, which have recently been refurnished, were handsomely decorated and the ceremonies of instituting the commandery were very impressive.

The charter members are as follows: W. P. Larawy, eminent commander; C. K. Marshall, generalissimo; H. L. Hasbrouck, captain-general; E. L. Smith, excellent prelate; W. J. Baker, senior warden; R. W. Pratt, junior warden; John Otten, treasurer; George P. Knowles, standard-bearer; William Sherman, warder. The uniforms of the members of the new commandery are said by many visiting Masons to be the finest in the northwest. The commandery also has $1,200 worth of new paraphernalia.

After the ceremonies there was work in the Red Cross and Black Cross degrees and a banquet was served by the Eastern Star to the visitors and members of the local lodge.

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