

HILARITY AND FUN WILL BE IN ORDER AT LAND PRODUCT SHOW

Woodmen, Progressive Business Men and Hood Riverites to Hold Joyfest.

ORATORIO SOCIETY TODAY

Chinese Baby Show Will Be "Piece de Resistance" Tomorrow Evening; New Band to Play.

- LAND SHOW PROGRAM. Tonight. 8:30—Handel Vocal society. 9:00—Hood River program and concert. 9:30—Woodmen of the World program, following parade from Temple. Friday Afternoon. 2:00—Lecture on dry farming in Oregon by D. M. Lowe. 3:00—Woolgrowers. Concerts by Chiffarelli's band. Friday Night. 8:00—Chinese Baby Show, under auspices of Order of Muts. 8:00—Miniature Kirmess, by Washington playground children. Vaudeville, music, moving pictures.

Tonight the Woodmen of the World, Progressive Business Men's club and the Hood River delegation will be in full possession of the Manufacturers' and Land Products Show. They promise to make as much noise, raise as much hilarity and provide as much entertainment as did the Vancouver people, Third Streeters, Ad and Rotary clubs last night when they were the guests. In addition the Handel Vocal society, assisted by the Portland Oratorio society will provide a musical program. In short, the Armory will be the center of activities for Oregon tonight, and there will not be a slow minute.

This afternoon Chiffarelli's band, which has been heard throughout California, is scheduled to make its first appearance at the exposition. It will end its engagement with the show Saturday night.

Hood River Sends Delegation. The Hood River delegation will arrive this afternoon, and it is said to be a large one. According to telegraphic messages received, Hood River promises to stage a concert tonight equal in quality to any that can be produced on the Pacific coast. Among the singers will be Mrs. Ralph Root, dramatic soprano, formerly leading soprano at Trinity church, New York city; Mrs. Charles H. Henney, director of music at Hood River's schools; J. Adrian, Epping and Otto Wiedemeyer.

The Woodmen of the World will parade from the Woodmen Temple to the Armory, and at 9:30 their program will begin in the ballroom. Fancy drill work by five teams, pyramid building and vaudeville will be included in the entertainment stunts they will offer.

Speakers for the Vancouver Commercial club last night made it plain that Vancouver looks to Portland as its metropolis, and is looking forward to the time when Clark county will be bound closer to Oregon by the interstate bridge across the Columbia.

Chinese Baby Show Tomorrow. The opening of the bridge will mean greater things for both Portland and Vancouver," said J. H. Elwell. "It will

CHINESE BABY SHOW WILL BE HELD TOMORROW NIGHT



Claury and Helen Sam, children of Mrs. Lee Jong. Sarah Lee holding babies.

Pretty almond eyed tots, the sons and daughters of Portland Chinese, will vie for blue ribbons at the Armory tomorrow night, where a Chinese baby show will be one of the features of the Manufacturers' and Land Products exposition.

There will be about 50 babies entered for the prizes, which are offered for the prettiest baby, the fattest one and the best dressed in Chinese costume. Each infant will be attended by its

mother and preceding the show, which will be held in the ballroom, there will be a parade, wherein the babies and their parents will ride in automobiles and the Chinese band will play.

The Armory will be especially decorated for the occasion with oriental drapes and colors. Here are two of the entrants, and the first whose names were entered. They are Claury Sam, 18 months old, and Helen Sam, 52 days old, the children of Mrs. Lee Jong. In the picture the babies are held by Sarah Lee.

crossing the Fritz farm on Beaver creek with a fill, provision will be made for cattle to go beneath the roadway to water, was referred to Roadmaster Yeon.

Bids of Olds, Wortman & King Co., the J. G. Mack company and the Melzer & Frank Co., for furnishing various supplies for the Frazer Detention home, were approved.

The board allowed \$10, to cover a portion of the burial expense of Mrs. Ida K. Matson, who died November 8, at the county hospital. The remainder will be paid from the widows' pension fund, as Mrs. Matson was drawing a pension at the time of her death.

R. A. Leisy, 6148 Foster road, petitioned for repair of cross walks at East Sixty-second street and Foster road. He was notified that the board has a rule that the county will build or repair cross walks only in front of schools.

County Clerk Coffey was authorized to advertise for bids for a pneumatic tube system in his office. Deputy Sheriff Martin Pratt was directed to tabulate bills for distribution of election supplies and present them to the board in regular form.

Bomb Kills Chinese. Canton, China, Nov. 12.—Thirteen persons were killed by the explosion of a bomb outside the residence of Governor Chi Kuang Lung of the Canton district.

STATE PRINTING IS DECLARED CHEAPER WAY BY R. A. HARRIS

Cost, Estimated at \$120,000 for Next Year, More Than Under Old System.

BUSINESS IS GREATER

Formerly Revenues Reduced Appropriation, Now They Are Allocated Into State Treasury.

In reply to the charge that the present state printing administration is an expensive one, the Honorable State Printer R. A. Harris has addressed a communication to Secretary of State Ben Olcott showing that while there are apparent discrepancies there has really been an actual saving on the cost of the printing done. His letter follows:

Recent newspaper discussion of the estimate of this department on the cost of printing for the next biennium may tend to create the impression to the record of efficiency made under the present state ownership system. There need be no confusion as to the cost of the public printing by any who desire to know the facts. A fair estimate of the cost for 1915-1916 under the present method of state ownership will be \$120,000. The estimate under the old law still in force, would have to be \$180,000.

Ever since the state took control of the printing plant every item of printing has been computed at old law rates as well as at new law cost. This was done purposely to demonstrate the comparative results beyond dispute.

For one year of state ownership the cost of the public printing was, in round numbers, \$84,000. Doubling this for a two year period, the amount would be \$168,000. The estimated increase in 1915-1916, the amount would reach \$180,000, at a trifle over 10 per cent, making the total amount for that period \$200,000.

Measured at old law rates one year's printing would have cost in round numbers, \$31,000, or \$162,000 for two years. Based on the same percentage for increased printing in 1915-1916, the amount would reach \$180,000.

Records of the office contain these facts in detail for all who wish to verify them. They have been checked and will never be disputed except for political purposes. Work is filed here exactly as measured at old law rates and with detailed summary of cost under the present law.

Everyone at all familiar with the printing department understands that past appropriations have not covered and have not been intended to cover the cost of the public printing. For several bienniums there have been deficiencies ranging from \$16,000 to \$25,000, and these have been provided for by other departments.

The discrepancy now seemingly so apparent is due to two salient facts: First, the placing of the total cost in one lump instead of erroneously regarding the printing appropriation as covering it all, and second, the steadily increasing volume of printing.

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A process has been discovered in Japan by which silk worms may be cultivated ten times a year, instead of twice, as usual, and better silk produced.

RAILROAD NEWS

Decrease Is Shown.

The average railway operating income for August, 1914, fell off \$3 per mile or 0.8 per cent from the income in August, 1913, according to a compilation just issued by the bureau of railway economics, established by the railway companies of the United States for the scientific study of transportation problems. This decrease was on top of a decrease of 13.6 per cent from that of August, 1912. The total operating revenues per mile for August decreased 5.6 per cent over August, 1913, operating expenses per mile decreased 7.8 per cent and the net operating revenue per mile decreased 0.6 per cent. The total mileage of the country represented in the figures was 27,344 miles, which 125,291 was in the western district.

Agent Is Recovering.

John S. Campbell, general agent of the Pennsylvania railway, is gradually recovering the use of his left arm, which was dislocated several days ago by a fall.

Honolulu Excursion.

Interest in the proposed excursion trip to Honolulu by the new steamship line, is increasing among Northern in the peculiarities of Pacific sea water, is increasing among Portland railroad and business men. It is hoped to secure a sufficient passenger list to make the excursion a practicality and at the same time show local jobbers and manufacturers the opportunities for trade in the Hawaiian islands.

Inquiries Received.

With the prospect that the Willamette Pacific railway will be completed into Coos Bay early next July, the Southern Pacific company has been receiving a number of inquiries regarding business openings along the route. The line is now in operation out of Eugene for a considerable distance into the mountains, and gangs are working as weather permits at tunnel boring and trestle building. Much of this will be finished during the winter, so the connections may be made as soon as work opens up in the spring.

Chief Clerk Quits.

Joseph Stoffer, chief clerk in the local offices of the Pennsylvania railway, has resigned his post, to go into business for himself in St. Paul, Minn. He and his brother have formed a partnership in expert accounting, and will begin their work together as soon as a successor to Mr. Stoffer can be found here.

Portland Woman Officials.

The Canadian Pacific's building at the San Francisco exposition was

Ladies' Hairdressing in London and Paris

A returned traveler says, "When I was in Europe this year I found both cities so thickly dotted with hairdressing parlors and hair goods stores that I wondered if the women ever had time for anything but care of the hair. Personally I was interested in finding a really good shampoo and was happily surprised when several inquiries were brought to my attention that our own American made canthrox shampoo is best. I tried it and have decided that it is not advisable to use a makeshift but always use a preparation made for shampooing only. You can enjoy the best that is known for about three cents a shampoo by getting a package of canthrox from your druggist; dissolve a teaspoonful in a cup of hot water and your shampoo is ready. After its use the hair dries rapidly with uniform color. Dandruff, excess oil and dirt are dissolved and entirely disappear. Your hair will be so fluffy that it will look much heavier than it is. Its lustre and softness will also delight you, while the stimulated scalp gains the health which insures hair growth." Adv.

started with appropriate ceremonies, including the driving of the first stake by Mrs. E. T. Foulkes, wife of the Portland architect. Herman S. Rankin, publicity agent for the railroad, passed through Portland yesterday on his way home, heading the delegation of officials participating in the ceremony. Other officials who took part were Blithe Henderson, superintendent of Traffic, and Traffic Manager A. M. Mortensen. The buildings will be ready February 1.

Lewis County Dry.

Chehalis, Wash., Nov. 12.—The official vote of Lewis county was canvassed and the totals footed last evening. A total of 11,034 votes was cast

and every man on the Republican ticket went through by a big vote. Lewis county gave the drys a majority of 1603 votes, and the bill to abolish private employment agencies carried by a small vote. All other measures were defeated.

Auction Was Brisk.

Woodland, Wash., Nov. 12.—The largest and most successful sale of stock ever held in this community was conducted at the Bozarth ranch in the north part of town yesterday by John Bogart. The offerings were first class graded stock, largely Holsteins. Auctioneer W. S. Wood of Vancouver was the salesman. It is estimated that fully 500 bidders were in attendance.

with probably as many more spectators. The highest priced cow brought \$142, and none of them less than \$50. A number of the purchasers from Portland and vicinity shipped their animals out this morning on the steamer Woodland which left here at 6 o'clock. Over 100 were sold.

McGovern Wriggles Out.

Walla Walla, Wash., Nov. 12.—Set upon, bound and gagged in a lonely cabin two miles from the city because he had \$100 in wages due, Barney McGovern, a farm hand, was freed out of the ropes that held him, came to Walla Walla, complained to the officers, and helped to catch the two men who, he says, assaulted him.



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