

City's Plan to Remove All Animals to Rose City Speedway Starts Spirited "Discussion" at Park. fangs in gleeful demonstration of their

Pandemonium reigned among the aninals of the city goo in Washington park when they found that orders were being contemplated that would mean their viction and moving to a new home in the Rose City speedway.

It all started down in the corner where the China pheasant and native grouse gather for an afternoon of gossip. The magpie lingering near by heard it and oon the news was scattered around reaching the press agents in the monkey

Such a thing being too good for them pants still in them. to page unnoticed gave rise to wild equallings and shricks until all the anials had their curiosity aroused as to what it was all about and the demand

for details was incessant. Down the line of cages the dope went, passed from one to another by the gossipy occupants. even down to the bear pit.

POLAR BEAR STUMPED

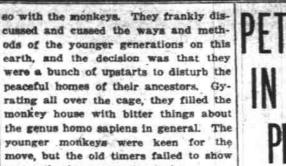
Arcturus, he of the polar seas, was eft out in the hustle and bustle a carry-ing the message to everyone and it was all he could do to confine his anxiety o know the reason of the hubbub to the slow and ponderous gait he maintains about the limits of his cage. Some one of the denizens of the zoo, seeing his plight, told him all about the moving day due to arrive during the winter and then old Arcturus was agitated Frantically tearing about, he cogitated on the ways of man and the peculiarities evinced when brain throbs reach them. Here he was used to the shady trees round about and getting so he could tolerate the curious people as they gathered outside his cage. Now someone had to go and change it all. He must be put out in a strange place and have the task of getting acquainted to do all over again.

In the pit inhabited by the brown and black bears a council of war was called. The question as to whether peanuts grew out in the speedway and also whether there would be anyone to throw them into the pit was thoroughly discussed. Seated in a deliberative circle, the question was mulled over and over again. The chief of the council would rise from his haunches and give sign of the extreme importance and weight of the matter by stalking about the pit, ignoring all spectators as they tried to entice him to do kicks for a peanut or two. What were peanuts when such ntous questions had to be decided? CAUSE OF IT ALL

The cause of the upheaval in the calm life of the animals was the decision of 8. C. Pier, commissioner of parks, to move the zoo from Washington park to the Rose City speedway during the winter and have the new zoo all ready for the kiddles next spring. It was an idea that caused the beasts to wonder just how much their own affairs would be disturbed by the new order of things. Of course, new houses will be built, except where the ones now in use can be safely moved to the new site; but that only complicates matters, for not only will the inhabitants of the zoo have

alarm.

to acclimate themselves to new surroundings but to new places and corners



any enthusiasm over the deal. Cheered by the prospects of new grounds, the coyotes en masse favored he plan and were all for it. Rushing around, they would stop long enough at the entrance of their cage to show their

BADGER BUDGELESS

The badger refused to be budged from Many reports that thievery has been his complacent attitude toward life in increasing rapidly in Portland high resist stealing or are so poor they take general and by his pompous waddling schools during the last year have led about gave the idea that anything would to an investigation. Students complain be philosophically accepted.

In the meantime the officials at the that they cannot leave books or other park bureau were considering ways and articles in desks without danger of loss. means of transporting the animals to their new homes at the least possible Some have declared that when they expense to the city. That new cages place articles in their private lockers would have to be built for some of the they cannot be sure of having them animals was admitted, but the consensus when they look for them next.

"I do not believe that thievery is inof opinion was that most of them could creasing in the high schools," said be moved as they were with the occu-Charles A. Rice, assistant superintendent "There have been some It is planned to have the new site all of schools.

ready for the visitors early next spring; FIRST SERVICE IN 1877

Sandy, Sept. 17 .- According to Paul of Sandy the first Catholic service held here was in 1877, by Rev. Father students have lockers." Benson, Franklin, Lincoln, Jefferson Verhaag, in the log school house on the place. From that time services and James-John high schools have

Revenue were held in private families until 22 lockers, according to Rice. He stated years ago, when a Catholic church was that there are plenty of lockers and that built in the town of Sandy



Some Articles Stolen, but in Most Cases Property Is Mis- cases where students complain of thefts laid, Declares School Officer.

In the schools where lockers are provided the students are prohibited from leaving books in the desks, showing that the principals are aware that there are always a few who cannot

for pilferers

the only means they have of providing selves with new school books.

students "doubling up," with the added

Railway Men Voting In Favor of a Strike

Spokane, Wash., Sept. 17 .- Rather than accept a eduction of 121/2 per cent in wages, Spokane railway men are willing to join in a national strike of the railcomplaints, however, especially from way department of the American Fedschools where the students have to eration of Labor and the "Big Five" leave their wraps in the general cloak brotherhoods of employes in the trans-

room. Of course there are a certain portation department, according to re-number of thefts even where the turns from the "strike ballots," just taken. The estimates made by railway men on the vote ranged from 2 to 1 to as high as 6 to 1 on the vote taken here

that there are plenty of lockers and that there should be • no necessity for Artist Series. Phone Main 5991.—Adv. Lincoln, who

\$69,200 Damage Is Result of Flood in Portland in Spring

Bamage in Portland amounting to \$69,200 was done by the high water of last spring, according to a survey made by O. Laurgaard, city engineer. The damage was caused, he mid, by flooding of basements where stock was stored,

hookey." are continually on the lookout stoppage of sanitary drainage and the "No added precautions have been taken this year," he stated. "In most spoiling of goods. More than 200 firms in the business district of the west side were involved

in the damage, the highest being borne by the Northwestern Electric company. they have simply mislaid their property.' Damage amounting to \$20,000 was done to the conduits of this company through which steam is furnished to down town buildings. The average loss as revealed by the survey was \$500.

As a means of preventing a repetition of such damage A. L. Barbur, missioner of public works, advocates the building of a reinforced concrete seawall along the waterfront from Madison to Glisan streets. This wall, he pointed out. would prevent back water from, entering the basements and saturating the ground west of the harbor fine, as was done in the last high water.

NORMAL ENROLLMENT BIG Lewiston, Idaho, Sept. 17 .- The Lewiston State Normal opened Monday with an enrollment of 200 students, the largest since 1916.

CONSTITUTION DAY OBSERVED La Grande, Sept. 17 .- Constitution day was observed in the La Grande high school Friday with former Senator Walter M. Pierce, great-grandson of General Lincoln, who fought in the Revolution, as



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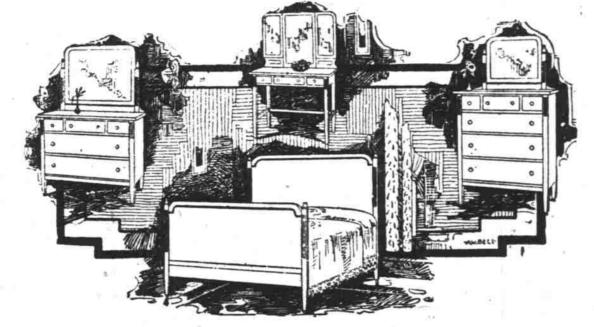
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