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CENTENNIAL PLANS GREAT.

Astoria Makes Preparation for Coming Celebration.

Astoria, Ore., July 24.—"What are we going to have to amuse the people," Astorians interested in the Centennial Pageant, which opens August 10 and continues thirty days, are asking.

So far, the plans of the centennial committee have been carried out to a successful issue without a hitch. There is to be plenty of amusement and some educational features for those who attend the pageant which has been planned to commemorate the first settlement of the Pacific North by the white race.

The big features are to be scattered about Astoria in such a manner as to take advantage of all the natural resources. The twelve mile long harbor is to be used for aquatic displays, the city streets for the pageantry parades and the city park for some of the fixed features.

Just a few minutes' walk from the center of the city, a thousand feet above the sea level, is City Park. Here, with a view of the harbor, the rivers, ocean and mountains, the big spectacular features are to be staged. A stadium has been built into the hill without any excavation and seats have been built down the side of the slope to care for about 5,000 persons. There is not a post to obstruct the view and the stage, an open air one, has a clump of tall cedar trees for a background. This is where "The Bridge of The Gods" is to be produced by Miss Mabel Perla, the Los Angeles girl who is now living in Portland. Local talent is being trained to produce the spectacle, which is founded upon the story of Mt. Hood being changed from a volcano into an ice and snow-covered mountain. It is an Indian legend, and has a great historical story to tell.

The state will maintain a salmon hatchery during the whole thirty days of the centennial celebration is open. The building for this is now complete with the exception of the installation of the tanks for the eggs. The tanks have been shipped and as soon as they are tested out and swelled to prevent leakage they will be ready to receive a million Royal Chinook salmon eggs.

Master Fish Warden Clanton has delegated C. E. Greenman to take charge of the exhibit and he has been in Astoria making preparations to carry through the work. Within a week he will have completed the installation of the tanks and arranged for the water supply. It will take about 24,000 gallons of water a day to keep the work going right, and a special three-inch water main has been laid for the city water works to care for this water supply. At least the piping will have been completed by the time it is necessary to get the use of water.

This fish display is an intensely interesting one to everyone from all over the country. Hardly a home does not pay tribute to the thrift of the Columbia River salmon fishermen and canners, and while every housewife is familiar with salmon and the various ways to use it, few have ever seen a real salmon and not one in a million from the East has ever seen a salmon egg. They will know the whole process from beginning to end and it is bound to be a big advertisement for Columbia River salmon when the visitors go back home and tell what they saw and explain what a salmon is really like.

Another strong feature is the exhibit of the resources of Clatsop County. The building for this display is now completed and ready to be fitted up by the exhibitors. In this structure the importance of the county from an agricultural point of view will be brought to the attention of the visitors. They will see the marvelous fruit and vegetables which are raised here, as well as the flowers which have been "canned" by Ben Worsley. The timber and dairy industries will be treated thoroughly too in the county exhibit.

Manufacturers of national reputation have engaged practically all the space in the building which has been erected for this purpose and by the time the centennial opens—August 10—this big structure will be crowded with exhibits of the best nationally advertised wares in the country. The whole nation has been scoured to make this a representative exhibit and success has come from the efforts of the committee in charge, aided by the Astoria merchants.

Within the Astor Stockade there will be the great \$50,000 Indian relic display loaned by Maj. Lee Moorehouse of Pendleton, Wash. This is a priceless collection which can never be duplicated again. The Major, who was an Indian agent at the Umatilla Reservation for years, secured these relics from the Indians who never realized their value.

Dead and departed chiefs who showed great head dresses with pride did not make any attempt to preserve their equipment after their death. As a consequence the braves who followed them sold the only mementoes of the dying race worth while for small sums. Major Moorehouse, knowing the value of the head dresses and implements of war and peaceful Indian life, picked out the best of them and today this collection is without an equal in the world. The whole collection is to be placed in the "Living Quarters" within the Astor Stockade. It will completely fill this big building and is bound to be a great source of interest to the thousands who are to visit the centennial pageant.

Across the courtyard from this Indian display is the structure reproducing the barn used by the Astor trading party when they had finished

Remedy for Sprains.

Bruise thoroughly one hand, of green sage leaves, boil them in a gill of vinegar for ten minutes; apply to the sprained joint as a poultice between folded muslin. Rest the joint as much as possible.

Mystery Solved.

One reason women have so many buttons to button is because they don't have to lose any time at shaving and hunting corkscrews.—Galveston News.

the fort. In this the Indians will have their dining room and storehouse for the curios they are to bring with them. It will be an interesting sight and well worth the time to tarry for an hour. Here, too, the old Indian fortune tellers will hold away to show their prowess at telling the fates with the cards.

Out on the side of the hill the Indians will pitch their tented city and live the life old Chief Concomly and his followers lived. They will journey to the banks of the Columbia to fish for their salmon, even as did Chief Concomly, and their topees will have the same smoke curls going out the tops as did those of the Indians of a century ago.

All the tribal traditions will be preserved here as they were a century ago. They will take the prized Moorehouse collection of Indian head-dresses and go through all the old war dances, the marriage dances, the funeral dances and the peace pact ceremonies that their forefathers did back in 1811. Also will they participate in the historic pageants which will be given to paint anew the founding of Astoria, the treaty with the whites, the marriage of old Chief Concomly's daughter to McDougall, and such events as went along with the century of decline of the Indian as a factor in the government of this country.

On the butte close to the County Exhibit building there will be erected a "Trail" in which some twenty "shows" will be maintained for the amusement of man and child. These shows are being contracted for from all parts of the country and when they open up here the Midway and such features as made big expositions of our country famous will be installed for the amusement of the thousands who are bound to be at the centennial celebration.

Just how many of these features will be presented depends upon the available space. General Manager A. A. Tremp is in communication with at least three score features and spectacles which are available, but he is cutting out the best in the land before closing contracts with them. Also he is not contracting for a show until he has investigated the show and the integrity of the owner of it.

Plans are under way now for a stock show which will bring about 100 head of the best stock in the country to the City Park enclosure, and it is the estimate of the centennial committee that about \$1,000 in cash prizes will be awarded at the conclusion of this show.

Members of the six granges in the county are working with a special committee to draft the details of this big feature and it is thought that plenty of good cattle will be on exhibition to back up the county sources exhibit. Certainly if this feature is not a big one no one but the farmers are to be blamed, and they insist that they have plenty of pure bred cattle to make this stock show a big success and an interesting feature.

Ellery's band, which played at the Coronation ceremonies in England, and which is now on the way here after touring Great Britain, coming directly here from Edinburgh, Scotland, will play afternoon and evening at the Stadium, and this feature alone is one which is worth a dollar to hear. This is the big band of the United States, and Mr. Ellery is determined to make unusual preparations to satisfy the visitors to the centennial. He has in mind a big concert tour and well advertising the merits of his band with the best kind of music to thousands who will be here from all parts of the country, he will be able to easily book his tour if his music is artistic. If he does not "produce the goods," it will put him out of business. Hence his desire to render a sterling engagement here.

Distinguished visitors such as Governor West, Governor Hiram Johnson of California, and the officers of the visiting naval vessels will be entertained at the Stadium and the public addresses of such men as James J. Hill, Louis W. Hill will be made from this vantage point. All, or nearly all public speaking will be from the Stadium and everyone in the grounds may hear well because of the natural site of the Stadium.

The tallest flag pole in the world will be erected on top of the hill within City Park, and it is certain to attract a great deal of comment. This pole is 219½ feet high and is one single "stick" of timber containing millions of feet of timber. It is more than three feet thick at the base and 15 inches through at the top. Just now this timber is down at the Hammond Lumber Company's place, but it will be towed up the river and dragged up the hill to the park with a huge donkey engine, where it will be erected in the center of the park. With a huge pennant to float from this pole, the centennial grounds will be visible for miles.

These are the big features which will be at the City Park alone. Scattered at vantage points downtown will be various shows and carnival features such as are usually in evidence at high classed pageants. There will be Ferris Wheels, Joy Rides, numerous riding devices, and mirth-provoking amusements such as have made Coney Island Dreamland, Luna Park and similar amusement resorts nationally famous.

There will be six historical parades, the pyrotechnical display by the 1st Fireworks Company of Seattle, marine pageants, regatta, automobile races at Gearhardt Beach, swimming races at the Gearhardt hotel tank, ocean and fresh water excursions and fully a score of features which are contracted for and under way now.

This is what Astoria is to give the public. Especially will the features at the City Park be interesting, amusing and instructive to all who visit Astoria during the centennial.

Ambition.

Ambition can creep as well as soar. The pride of no person in a flourishing condition is more justly to be dreaded than that of him who is mean and cringing under a doubtful and unprosperous fortune.—Burke: "Letters on a Regicide Peace."

One Pest.

Who whistles in a street car robs me of most that is dear to me, my peace of mind, and gives me nothing in return.—Philadelphia Enquirer.

CAP and BELLS



ORCHESTRA GAVE HIM AWAY

Man Telephones Wife He Is Busy at Office, but She Couldn't Stand for Music.

"Don't wait for me at dinner this evening, dear," said Mr. Filippson when his wife answered his telephone call. "I shall be detained on business." "Very well," she replied. "I'm sorry you can't be with us, but business is business, I suppose. Where are you now?" "Where am I? In my office, of course. I have had a very busy day." "It is too bad that you have to work so hard. But, tell me something, George."

"Yes, dear; what is it?" "How can you keep your mind on business with the orchestra playing 'Every Little Movement'?" "Then he decided to go home and let business suffer."

An Apalling Excuse. "This is the fifth time you have been brought before me this term," said the judge, frowning severely upon the prisoner at the bar.

"Yes, your honor," said the prisoner. "You know a man is judged by the company he keeps and I like to be seen talking to your honor for the sake of me credit."

"All right," said the judge. "Officer, take this man over to the island and tell them to give him a credit for 30 days."—Harper's Weekly.

Not Wanted. "Now this arrangement of springs," said the demonstrator, "is such that whatever the inequalities of the road, you never feel the slightest jar in riding. There is no jolt to this car."

"Then I don't want it," replied the fat man. "I want a car that will jolt, jar, bounce, and jostle me until my waist line reappears. I want to escape that corporation tax the Supreme court has just decided to be constitutional."—Harper's Weekly.

The Annual Question. "Well, Hawkins, old man," said Witherbee, "has your wife decided where she will spend the summer?"

"Yes," said Hawkins. "She's going abroad."

"So? And how about you?" "Well, I don't know yet," sighed Hawkins. "I haven't decided whether to stay in town or go into bankruptcy."—Harper's Weekly.

The Peacemaker. "I hope," said the guest, "that you and Mrs. Scappleigh will treat me as one of the family and behave just exactly as you would if I were not here."

"Not on your life," replied Scappleigh. "The fact is, my dear fellow, as long as you are here you can depend on our behaving in a fairly peaceable way."

GOOD PARTY MAN. Policeman—What do you think of Grabben's nomination? Politician—I never think. I only vote.

Breaking the News. Him—I don't know how to tell you how I love you. Her—Don't worry about that—I'll take it as it comes. What you want to get nervous about is how to tell papa about it.

Wanted It Badly. "Could you give me a raise, sir? You know I am married." "But I gave you a raise so that you could be married."

"Yes, I know; but I find I need a raise more now than I did then."

The Cause. "That man is a chronic kicker." "Force of habit. He used to be long to a champion football team."

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A Concomitant.

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Needs of the Church. "What is the greatest evil to be remedied in the modern church?" is a question which a Topeka minister asked a lot of business men. One replied: "Make the women take off their hats and fix the seats so that men can sleep in greater comfort."—Kansas City Journal.

It's Up to You. You may get a job on your front, or on your back, but whether you hold it or not depends on what you have in you.

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