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## POLK IS INVITED

Lewis and Clark Fair Board invites Polk County to Make Special Exhibit at 1905 Fair in Portland

Regulations Governing County Exhibits Set Forth by Secretary H. E. Reed in the Official Invitation

Following is the text of the invitation received from Secretary Henry E. Reed of the Lewis and Clark Fair Board this week:

An official invitation is hereby extended to the COUNTY OF POLK, to make a special exhibit, either in its own behalf or in connection with some other body, municipal or otherwise, at the LEWIS and CLARK CENTENNIAL EXPOSITION to be held in Portland in 1905. It is the purpose of the Exposition to encourage comprehensive exhibits by counties and by members of commerce, boards of trade and other commercial organizations. For exhibits of this character, illustrating the resources, industries and progress of communities, the following regulations have been provided:

FIRST: The preparing and installing of exhibits by counties or organizations will be left to the counties or organizations in whose name or under whose authority the exhibits are made. Counties or organizations may erect separate buildings or may install their exhibits in the State building of the State in which the county or organization is located. Space will be provided on the Exposition grounds for all buildings erected by counties or organizations and no charge will be made therefor. Plans and specifications for such buildings shall be submitted to the Director-General for his approval.

SECOND: All collective exhibits made by counties and trade organizations will be permitted to participate in the general competition; that is, be both collective and competitive.

I desire to enlist your co-operation and support in this movement, and respectfully to urge early consideration of this invitation so that, if favorable action be taken, we may allot the necessary space and give you ample time to proceed with preparations for your exhibit. Whatever may be the decision upon our invitation, I am satisfied we can shape our plans so as to harmonize all efforts to the end that your exhibit may be highly creditable, not only to your progressive community and State, but to the Exposition as well.

We feel confident that the arrangement we propose will offer to counties an exceptional opportunity of demonstrating their potentialities at the LEWIS and CLARK EXPOSITION of 1905, and that the result of exhibits made this way will be beneficial to all.

Very respectfully,  
 HENRY E. REED,  
 Director of Exploitation.

Another Discovery.

As there appears to be indication that all the counties in the First Congressional District will have a favored son to nominate at the next convention, it will be in order for the Headlight to nominate B. L. Eddy so that Tillamook county can be represented in the grand political shuffle for congressional honors. If Harris was the speaker of the last house, and obtained that

honor by the courtesy of the gentleman from Tillamook Mr. Eddy was recognized the leader on the floor of the house during the last two state legislatures, an honor which he obtained by his own ability and force of character, and which entitles him to the congressional honors if the convention makes any change in congressman. Every county in the district is fully aware of this, and the Eugene Register must not lose sight of this fact. If it is looking for a young and energetic republican with Roosevelt's traits of character to represent the First Congressional District in congress, then Mr. Eddy is the man that the congressional toga should fall on.—Tillamook Headlight.

## SACAJAWEA'S FAME.

Work of Lewis and Clark's Guide Recognized by California and Oregon Commended for Honoring Her.

(SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE.)

Now that the Lewis and Clark Exposition at Portland, Ore., next year has been assured through the Congressional appropriations that has been made for it, popular interests will doubtless be aroused in the story of the expedition and in those who contribute materially to its success. The intrepid explorer who headed the memorable expedition which added the territory now represented in the States of Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana and the two Dakotas to the United States, would have doubtless failed in their enterprise had it not been for the timely assistance they received from Sacajawea, a Shoshone girl of 16, held captive in Mandans' winter camp, where Lewis and Clark quartered. She was the slave wife of a French half-breed interpreter, and in gratitude for the services the explorers rendered to her in childbirth, she accompanied the expedition westward as a guide. She pacified the unfriendly Shoshones, obtained food and horses when the expedition reached the "Gates of the Mountains" and had to abandon the canoes, smoothed the way through the territory occupied by the Flatheads and the Nez Percés, and, after spending the winter with the party at the mouth of the Columbia, piloted it safely back on the return trip. The women of the six States named have organized a Sacajawea Statue Association to erect a suitable memorial at the centennial exposition grounds, commemorating her services to the expedition and to the Nation. It is to take the form of a statue, to cost \$6000. Miss Alice Cooper of Colorado has been chosen as the sculptor. The project is undoubtedly a commendable one. It is about the only way the present generation can pay a fitting tribute to a heroine who figured so conspicuously in early Western history and performed services to the country of incalculable value. The association ought to have no trouble in raising funds.

## Business Opening.

For Sale—Country store in Polk county. Good location. Probable value \$3,000. For particulars enquire at this office.

## For Sale.

12,000 shares of mining stock in the Gold Creek Mining and Milling Company. Certificates 1000 shares each. Price 6 cts. per share. S. B. ORMSBY, 112 Court St., Salem, Oregon.

## DALLAS APRIL 9.

Republican County Convention Will Have 136 Delegates and Be Held at County Seat On 4th Day of April.

Full Attendance at Central Committee Meeting—Apportionment Based on Vote for Tongue 1902.

Dallas, Feb. 23.—The meeting of the Republican County Central committee here today, brought together the committeemen from every precinct in the county but two. The meeting was called to order by Chairman Percival at 1:30 P. M. and the principal work of the committee, apportionment of delegates, fixing time for the primaries, and time and place for the county convention, was attended to in short order.

April 7, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon was set as the time for holding primaries in the various precincts and 10:30, at Dallas, on the morning of the 9th of April, for the convention.

The committee on dates was composed of M. D. Ellis and C. L. Starr.

The apportionment of delegates among the precincts was based on the vote for Congressman Tongue, deceased, each precinct being allowed one delegate for every 10 votes and fraction thereof amounting to 5 or more beside a delegate at large.

This will make a convention of 136 delegates distributed among the various districts as follows:

Douglas	76	9	delegates
Jackson	44	5	"
Salt Lake	44	5	"
McCoy	45	6	"
East Dallas	79	9	"
South Dallas	93	10	"
North Dallas	87	10	"
Rickreall	53	6	"
Falls City	68	8	"
Rock Creek	7	2	"
Luckiamute	79	9	"
Bridgeport	32	4	"
N.Independence	105	12	"
S.	68	8	"
S. Monmouth	44	5	"
N.	56	7	"
Buena Vista	52	6	"
Suver	21	3	"
Eola	63	7	"
Spring Valley	40	5	"
Total	136		"

J. C. Hayter, I. A. Allen, T. W. Wann, George L. Kelly and James Helmick comprised the committee that made up the apportionment.

The committeemen were instructed to post primary notices in their respective precincts ten days previous to the date of primaries.

## A WONDERFUL BUSINESS.

Is the Lord & Thomas Advertising Agency the Head of Which Retired February 1st.

Possibly there is no other line of industry in the United States that has grown in such proportion in recent years as that of general advertising, which includes publicity in newspapers and magazines and outdoor display advertising, and through its tremendous force the entire basis of modern merchandising has been revolutionized.

The business of Lord & Thomas has been one of the most aggressive and progressive of its kind in the country, having in recent years been under the active management of Mr. A. L. Thomas, whose

judgement on advertising matters is considered as authoritative by the vast body of publicity users. Mr. Thomas has succeeded Mr. Lord to the presidency and will continue at the head of the firm.

Thirty-five years of wide experience in handling the publicity of a large proportion of America's most successful advertisers have fitted Lord & Thomas to give most judicious and profitable service to enterprising business firms in every line.

## TRADESMAN NOTES CHANGE

Fifty Per Cent of Farmers Changed Hands Around Independence Within Past Eighteen Months.

The Tradesman, published in Portland, gives considerable space to the valley towns in its last issue. The source of the Tradesman's statistical information is unknown. Here is what it says of Independence:

Census:

1900	969
1902	1200

Public school enrollment:

1900	260
1901	236
1902	275
1903	312

NEW BANKS—No new banks established since January, 1902.

NEW STORES—One confectionery store and one bakery, each with small capital, established since January, 1902.

NEW HOTELS—No new hotels, but one already here rebuilt and renovated this year.

NEW RESIDENCES—Two new residences built this year.

MISCELLANEOUS—The surrounding country has undergone a great change during the last eighteen months, fully 50 per cent of the farms having changed hands, the purchasers being people from the East who are locating to make this section their home. The new methods of farming by the newcomers is rapidly improving this section.

## Rat Had Delirium Tremens.

It is related that a Sanilac county (Mich.) farmer who had been missing apples from his cellar made a startling discovery of the thief the other day. While crawling under the barn after a hen's nest containing a fortune of eggs the farmer came on a small pool of liquid, beside which lay the dead body of a large rat. On investigation the farmer discovered that the pool contained the missing apples. The rat, it was found, had died of acute alcoholism. After stealing the apples the rat had dropped them in the spring under the barn. As they decomposed they formed strong cider. The rat drank the cider and died, so it is alleged, of delirium tremens.

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