

CITY BRIEFS

There now remains but three of the pioneer ministers of the Methodist Episcopal conference who were members when it embraced Oregon, Washington and California. They are the Rev. J. W. Miller of the East Side, Rev. John Flinn of Vancouver, Wash., and Rev. N. Doane of Portsmouth.

The plank cover to an old-fashioned fire cistern at the intersection of Third and Stark streets, fell through yesterday under the weight of a dray horse.

L. L. Hawkins has secured two deer for the City Park from the Orient. They were shipped here on the steamship In-travell, in care of Balfour, Guthrie & Co.

Dr. W. K. Smith will soon commence the construction of a cement sidewalk in front of his premises at the Southwest corner of Front and Morrison streets.

A. E. Wallaber, chief clerk of the weather bureau, left for Salem yesterday to see about getting a new river gauge put in there.

The Salvation Army of this city is now contemplating the giving of a free outing for poor children. They intend to accommodate about 1000 children on this outing.

F. V. Austin was out yesterday in the interests of the Portland-Alaska Transportation Company, and reports quite a few subscriptions to the stock of this company.

At this afternoon's meeting of the Port of Portland commission, to be held at 4 o'clock, more offers for money will be read. Bids for old junk and for tools will be opened. A letter from Designing Engineer Blackwell will be read, stating that he is in Washington, D. C., at present looking up the patents on dry-docks, and has employed an attorney to assist him. As yet he has not found any conflicting patents.

Watson's Restaurant, open nights to 1 a. m.

Portland Club, Fifth and Alder. Finest lunch in city. Portland Club, Fifth and Alder.

PERSONALS

Hon. J. T. Bridges of Roseburg, Receiver of the United States Landoffice, is being cared for at St. Vincent's in this city. He has been in poor health for some time. Mr. Bridges is a prominent member of the Elks and is located in the Elks' room at the hospital.

J. C. Fullerton of Roseburg, ex-Judge of the Second Judicial district, is in the city on business.

Hon. J. N. Williamson, Congressman-elect, is in the city for a few days, from Prineville.

Henry Pape of Salem is in the city. Rev. J. R. N. Bell of Baker City is spending a few days in this city.

O. I. Peterson of Astoria, a prominent merchant of that region, is a guest at the Imperial.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fulton of Astoria are guests at the Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Ashbury and Miss Lillie Ashbury of McMinnville are attending lodge sessions here. Mr. Ashbury is a newspaper man.

G. W. Wall, a physician at Cottage Grove, is in the city, accompanied by his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Robb and daughter, Miss Hazel, of Astoria, are in the city. Mr. Robb is engaged in the real estate and insurance business there.

Simon Caro, a Roseburg merchant, is stopping at the Perkins.

W. W. Kent, the Drain druggist, and a member of the board of directors of the Normal School at that place, is in the city on business.

W. Ballons, roadmaster of the O. R. & N., with headquarters at Pendleton, is transacting business in Portland.

C. J. Van Duzyn, who is stopping at the Perkins, is a prominent merchant of Tygh Valley.

T. J. Krutz, an Athena politician, is in the city on business.

Albert Steiner of Salem is in the city for a short time. He has been guard at the state prison for some time and left his position as shop guard the day before the outbreak there.

F. B. Harman of Tacoma, of the firm of F. S. Harman & Co., furniture dealers, is in the city today.

E. L. Lewis, solicitor of freight for the Northern Pacific, was at Hood River yesterday. He was looking up the matter of strawberry shipments for his company there.

Mrs. W. R. Steele of Lakeview is visiting her mother, Mrs. Jenkins, 234 Main street.

Hurt in Runaway.

What might have proved a runaway with fatal results occurred yesterday afternoon on the Morrison-street bridge. As J. Curry was driving onto the east end approach to the bridge with a light one-horse tinner's wagon the animal became unmanageable and started at full speed across to this side. At the time the bridge was well lined with teams and cars, and that somebody or something was not run into during the mad fight seems like a miracle.

The animal threaded its way through in safety, however, but on reaching Front street met with disaster. There the big came in contact with a Montevideo car, and the occupant was thrown violently into the middle of the stony street. He sustained painful but not serious injuries. He received a scalp wound necessitating several stitches, and both wrists were sprained. All the witnesses to the runaway say that had it not been for the nerve and cool head which the driver displayed someone would have been badly hurt, if not killed.

Homeopathic Officers.

The twenty-sixth annual session of the State Homeopathic Medical Society closed yesterday, having convened last Tuesday. The officers elected for the ensuing year are: Dr. L. G. Aliman, Corvallis, president; Dr. H. S. Nichols, Portland, first vice president; Dr. Margaret Quintley, Portland, second vice president; Dr. E. K. Dearborn, Portland, recording secretary; Dr. J. A. Stewart, Portland, corresponding secretary; Dr. George Wiza, Portland, treasurer.

The retiring president is Dr. Emma J. Welty, of Portland.



Almost Blind

Is the condition of a middle-aged man who came to us the other day to have his eyes fitted with glasses. Only last February he could see well but his sight began to trouble him and he got off his present time. Now it's probably TOO LATE. We are testing eyes every day, FREE OF CHARGE and there's no excuse for taking chances. Our prices are so reasonable for glasses that you can get a pair without feeling the cost.

Have just come in from the East. Let us show them to you. If they're not dirt cheap we won't ask you to buy. VISITORS ALWAYS WELCOME.

JAEGER BROS., Jewelers and Opticians, 300 MORRISON STREET

The Theatres

THE MARQUAM-The appearance of Kathryn Kidder at the Marquam theater Friday and Saturday will be greeted by a large audience of Portland's smart set, if the sale of seats is a criterion. The bill Friday night will be "The Country Girl," which will be repeated for Saturday matinee. Saturday night she will appear in "Francillon," the great emotional drama.

THE BAKER-The Foller Juvenile Opera Company will open Sunday night for a two weeks' engagement.

MORE ROOM

Portland Hotel Directors Will Build a \$40,000 Addition.

An addition to the Portland hotel will be built at a cost of \$40,000. This addition will be a large room off the main office, where the west court is now situated. This room will be used as a promenade on ordinary occasions, but when the hotel is crowded it will be used as a dining hall. The room will be of modern construction, without columns, and handsomely finished.

This was decided on at the annual meeting of the directors held yesterday afternoon.

The question of building an extension has been considered by the directors for several months, but at yesterday's meeting it was decided to begin work on it at once, as the demand for accommodation has often exceeded the capacity of the hotel, and the overcrowding of the dining rooms, especially during the recent conventions, has discomfited many. As the Lewis and Clark centennial is approaching, the accommodations will become still more inadequate and more additions may be made, as the directors may see fit.

Directors were also elected for the ensuing year, who are as follows: H. W. Corbett, C. A. Dolph, W. M. Ladd, Martin C. W. H. Prescott, J. C. Alstworth, W. R. Mackenzie, W. K. Smith, John McRacken, H. W. Scott, Charles Hegele.

The report of C. H. Gaylord, the treasurer, was read, and showed the hotel company to be in a fine financial condition.

FOR CLOTHING FACTORY.

The new Portland woolen mills at Sellwood have been such a success that the promoters are talking now of organizing a stock company for the building of a clothing factory, which will use the product of the mills.

The proposed new factory has long been needed in this city, and will be welcomed by dealer and consumer alike. A great deal of money will be saved to local people in buying their clothes from a home factory, the great saving being made in converting the wools of Oregon into clothing here, thereby saving the cost of shipping the wool to the East and then paying the freight on the finished product.

It is proposed to build the new factory alongside the present woolen mills, the mill company already owning enough ground for that purpose. The company is talking of erecting a number of cottages on their lands for the use of the families of the men working in the mills, the payments on which will be made in small sums each month. This the managers of the mills company say will bring the men in closer relation with their employers and thereby work a benefit to both employer and employe. "Treat your men good," said one of the officials of the company the other day, "and they will do better."

FOR FIRE PROTECTION.

Numerous complaints have been made by residents of the East Side to the board of fire commissioners on account of the poor fire protection in this district. The section of territory through Milwaukee is entirely without protection of any kind.

Some time ago the Webfoot Hose Company, a volunteer organization, went out of existence on account of not having any place to store its apparatus, the building formerly used by it being taken for the use of the overflow pupils from the Clinton-Kelly and the Brooklyn schools.

Most of the companies on the East Side are supplied with the discarded apparatus used by the West Side companies until it was unfit for further use. The water mains in the district are much too small for effective work.

It has been decided to lay a 20-inch main through Sunnyside down East Thirty-fourth street. Another extension will probably be made along East Twenty-eighth street.

The 14-inch main for East First street has nearly all arrived, and is at present being delivered along the line of the proposed new mains. The new main, when completed, will serve the big wholesale warehouse district of the East Side.

BRETHERTON WITHDRAWS.

W. W. Bretherton has decided to withdraw from the race for the office of school director. He gives as his reason that the present member of the board is a resident of the East Side, and that it would not do any good to the district to have any fight for the office. The present director, Mr. Beach, has decided to run again, and as he has satisfied the taxpayers, Mr. Bretherton has decided to withdraw.

OTHERS ASKED

Chairman Corbett Seeks Exposition Data on Ten Points.

H. W. Corbett, as president of the Lewis and Clark Centennial Commission, has addressed letters to the managers of the various expositions that have been held during recent years. He seeks information upon which to base the decisions of the board of directors as to these ten points:

- First-How many acres of land were secured for the exposition?
Second-How many acres were devoted to parks and how many to the exhibition proper?
Third-How much money did you have when you began operations?
Fourth-Did you have a state appropriation, and how much?
Fifth-Did you have a municipal appropriation, and how much?
Sixth-Did you have a Federal appropriation, and how much?
Seventh-What, if any, conditions were imposed upon your corporation by the local or general government giving the appropriation?
Eighth-What were your total gate receipts? What from concessions? What, if any, from other sources?
Ninth-What did you expend in constructing buildings? What in beautifying grounds? What in music and advertising?
Tenth-What was your price of admission on Sundays?

To these queries, no replies have been received, inasmuch as they have been sent out so recently that the managers of the expositions have not yet had reasonable time in which to formulate answers to Mr. Corbett's letters. Pending the receipt of the information, the directors are withholding decisions on the principal points involved in the Fair preparations.

ANNUAL MEETING JULY 7.

The annual meeting of the corporation will be held on July 7, at which time some important conclusions will be reached. Dating from this annual meeting, the affairs of the great Exposition will assume some definite phases. Among them, in the opinion of some of the gentlemen who are in the management, the work of advertising will begin. It is proposed to familiarize the people of the East with the attractions of this state and the Pacific Northwest, and the things to be seen by tourists who come here in 1906. The advertising may begin at once after the levying of the first assessment on the capital stock. This assessment is to be made on July 7.

The friends and supporters of the Lewis and Clark Exposition are urging that no delay should occur that can be obviated. The time is not too long in which to effect preparations. Doubtless the management appreciates this fact, and will expedite matters. Indeed, The Journal was urged by a prominent man who is in the management to spur the corporation to haste such as is consistent with wise action and sufficient deliberation.

Line Will Be Built.

Bids for the construction of the Riparian-Lewiston railroad have been called for. They must be presented at the office of Chief Engineer Kennedy of the O. R. & N. Company by June 15. After that the letting of contracts for construction work will be let. Yesterday President Mohler was advised from New York to go on with the work of building the line. There will be 78 miles in this stretch of road. Although all preliminary work will be done by the O. R. & N. Company, a separate incorporation will have charge of the affairs of the Riparian-Lewiston road. The bridge location across the Clearwater river at Lewiston has been surveyed, and the structure itself, when completed, will not cost less than \$250,000. It is probable that the new line will be built on the north side of Snake river.

The Middle Ages.

The lecture delivered by Henry Adams Austin at the Baker last night was on the subject of "The Middle Ages," and was heard by a large assemblage. He considers that standard historians have presented wrong ideas of the middle ages. With a sneer the little half-baked college professors brush the magnificent achievements in the domain of art, philosophy and literature to one side and dilate upon the splendors of Anglo-Saxon civilization. After showing how this impression is gradually being dispelled, he enlarged upon the glory and chivalry of the middle ages. With a touch of the humorous in his discourse, he gave an added zest to the lecture, and closed by stating that crusaders are needed now as much as in previous times.

Boys' and Girls' Aid.

The trustees of the Boys and Girls' Aid Society for Oregon held their monthly meeting yesterday in the office of Judge Gilbert. Those attending were H. W. Corbett, Judge Gilbert, Judge Bellinger, Mrs. W. A. Buchanan, Mrs. Levi White, Mrs. C. R. Templeton, Mrs. A. G. Barker. The report of Superintendent Gardner was that 22 children are now at the home; the hospital is not now in use. No more meetings will be held until September.

THAT OUTRAGE.

The people of Oregon know that Fourth street is a pretty hot place, especially some parts of it, but this is the first time that it is so hot that it "boils." This is actually the case. If persons walk on this street they pick up a piece of it with every step. Besides the beauty of lifting up a piece of street, the fragrance of the wonderful "averanus unpronounceable" is enough to stop even a machine driven by liquid air. Alder and Stark streets, on both sides of Fourth, look like a jumble of musical bars, with the notes of some fantasia written on it. This is caused by the wheels of vehicles turning from Fourth into these streets.

HAY FOR MANILA

The Albers, Schneider Company is busy filling an order from the Government for 1500 tons of hay to be taken to Manila. The steamer Quito is now loading at their dock and will probably sail Friday or Saturday. These mills are kept running day and night to supply the demand for baled hay and other feed products, a force of 60 men being kept busy. The capacity of the mill is 100 tons per day. Much of the hay is put up in round bales about four feet long and 30 inches in diameter. It is subjected to a hydraulic pressure of 700 pounds per square inch and the bales are as hard as a brick. Much of the hay comes from Washington County.

WILL VISIT EUROPE.

Prof. Luella Clay Carson of the chair of English at the University of Oregon has started for an European tour, to last until September 10. She will take a steamer from New York, Saturday, June 14, for London, and will remain several weeks in England, visiting historic places. She will visit Oxford and Cambridge universities for the purpose of taking a course of English lectures. The remainder of her tour will take her through France, Switzerland and Germany.

Silver Medal for Our Quartz.

Reports from the Charleston Fair credit a silver medal for exhibit of gold and silver quartz from the Polar Star mine, the property of the Cascade Mining & Development Company, in the St. Helens mining district. This confirms what those who have informed themselves on the mineral wealth of our home mountains have for a long time known that they are enormously rich.

Strategic Railroad.

Russia is to complete next summer a railroad in its trans-Caucasian territory from the fortress Alexandropol southward and eastward, a little distant from the Turkish boundary, to Erivan, about 94 miles long. It may have great strategic importance, in case of war with Turkey.

WOMEN MAY VOTE FOR THE KINDERGARTENS

W. C. T. U. Adopts Important Resolutions Favoring the Schools.

In view of the discussion now proceeding regarding the kindergartens and their addition to the public school system, be it

Resolved, That we favor the movement as calculated to provide more adequately for the training of the younger children.
That we believe that the added expense will be small in comparison with the benefits resulting therefrom.
That we urge upon the board of directors that they take up the work that has been begun by the Portland Free Kindergarten Association and continue it at public cost hereafter.

The above resolution was adopted by the Central W. C. T. U. at its meeting yesterday afternoon after an earnest appeal had been made on the subject by Mrs. Unruh. She asked the members to make a strenuous effort to acquaint the women of the city who have the right of suffrage with the need there is for them to take an interest in the kindergarten question and vote for the issue at the election next Monday.

GALICE CREEK.

A. B. Cousin, manager of the St. Helens & Gallice Mining Company, has just returned from the mines of Southern Oregon, bringing with him several flasks of nuggets as a sample of the product of the Gallice hydraulic mines.

Accompanying him were several Portland gentlemen who were very enthusiastic over the prospects of that rich section. W. P. Wagy, formerly a Colorado mining man, and one of the party, says: "Southern Oregon mines, both quartz and placer, will surprise the world with the amount of their output in a few years."

"I never saw such favorable conditions for hydraulic mining as are enjoyed by the St. Helens & Gallice Mining Company. Their giants are piping on a very rich gravel bank. The quartz prospects of the camp show excellent values for the amount of work done."

H. H. McCarthy, another of the party, and a man well acquainted with the mineral resources of the Northwest, considers Southern Oregon the ideal miner's mecca.

The trip to Gallice Creek is one of pleasure. The trains of the Southern Pacific drop the traveler at Merlin, a station nine miles north of Grant's Pass. The rest of the journey is by stage over one of the most picturesque mountain roads in existence, most of it being down along Rogue River, which is crossed by a cable ferry at Old Indian Mary's ranch. From the ferry a gradual ascent of Taylor Creek mountain is made, from the top of which a glimpse of the river may

MASONIC OFFICERS

Chosen by the Grand Lodge—Standing Committees.

The session of grand lodge of Oregon, A. F. & A. M., held yesterday, was taken up entirely with routine business, the reading of reports, the appointment of committees and election of officers.

About 300 delegates are in attendance and the session is considered an interesting one. The new officers are: Grand master, W. F. Butcher; deputy grand master, S. M. Moran of Eugene; grand senior warden, W. T. Gray of Portland; grand junior warden, W. H. Flanagan of Grant's Pass; grand treasurer, F. H. Alliston of Portland; grand secretary, James Robinson, Eugene; trustee of educational fund, Jacob Meyer, Portland.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

Jurisdiction—Henry B. Thelisen, John R. Cleland, Phillip S. Malcolm, J. C. Moreland, M. D. Clifford.
Gravances and appeals—W. T. Wright, D. P. Mason, B. Van Dusen, Phil Mettschou, W. T. Williamson.

SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Educational fund—H. B. Thelisen, B. Van Dusen, J. M. Hodson, W. H. Hobson, J. C. Fallerton.
Reports of subordinate—J. M. Poorman, H. L. Conner, Sam May, M. A. Van Gilder, A. G. Bachrod.

Dispensations and charters—W. T. Williamson, Jay Tuttle, G. L. Hawkins, J. H. Snodgrass, George W. Hewitt.
By-laws—W. A. Wilshire, G. O. Yoron, W. H. Habb, Moses Dishner, John W. Hale.

Finance and accounts—Alex Martin, Jr., H. D. Story, G. E. Kenyon, S. S. Spencer, Eugene Holmes.
Funeral dues—Rev. J. R. N. Bell, John S. Hodgins, G. W. Wonnacut, O. Q. Hodson, E. J. Sarand.

Records of subordinate—E. W. Davis, E. E. Quick, Damon Smith, Ed Washburne, P. A. Kirohshelner.
Miscellaneous and expenses—William Armstrong, T. J. Tweedy, George Williams.

EDITORS COMING.

The Board of Trade has arranged for a reception to the Utah Press Association, which will arrive tomorrow evening from The Dalles. The White Collar Line has offered one of its boats for the transportation of the visitors from The Dalles. This offer has been accepted.

To The Public.

The Carpenters' Union, No. 60, will furnish men competent to take charge of and erect any building that may be entrusted to them, and furnish bills of material according to plans and specifications. C. BOMBERGER, Treasurer.

Letter Carriers' Excursion TO SEASIDE... June 29th Round Trip \$1.00

JUST FOR FUN Three Hoodlums Fire Revolver From a Window. Much commotion was created on Third street, near Taylor, at an early hour this morning.

CITY COUNCIL Action on Electric Franchise—Railway Franchise Deferred. After adopting nine sections of the proposed electric franchise ordinance, the City Council yesterday postponed action on the remaining sections until the next meeting.

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EASTERN VISITORS. B. E. Nichols, commercial agent of the Illinois Central Railroad at Sioux City, Ia., his uncle, A. E. Nichols of Kanakee, Ill., and J. Frank Leonard of the latter city, are in the city while on a tour of the West and will remain several days.

MARRIAGE LICENSES. Albrick, J. Allard... Florence Rosenbrock... Charles E. Campbell... Jennie A. Turner... Tony A. Ladrono... Elsie H. Liman... Francis J. Haner... Frances Leaf... Claude Brown... Anna Brager... W. F. Fiedner... Daisy C. Shogren... Frank Eberle... Elizabeth Wenger... Harry M. Veal... Battie M. Reed... Albert Farley... Carrie A. Burdick... Crooks Charlesworth... Mary J. Reed

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