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BIRTHDAY DINNER

A sumptuous birthday dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bilyeu last Tuesday in honor of Mr. Bilyeu and his son C. C., the former's birthday being on the 12th and the latter's on the 13th. The dinner consisted of turkey and all the "fixins"; in fact, the table fairly groaned under its burden of good things, almost everything that is toothsome being represented. Those enjoying the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Bilyeu were, their daughter Nita, and son C. C. with his wife and daughter Grace of Scio, also their daughter Mrs. Nelle Gunsauls and son Lyle of Lebanon, Mart Bilyeu of Albany, a brother of J. A., Mrs. E. J. Daley, Mrs. Wm. Brenner, and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Charles. The occasion will be long and pleasantly remembered by all who were privileged to be there.

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SOME EXTRACTS FROM STATE LAWS

By request of some of our citizens, the following extracts from laws regarding the sale and use of tobacco and intoxicants and frequenting of gaming rooms by minors are given:

"It shall be unlawful to sell, barter, trade, give or in any manner furnish to any minor under 18 years, any tobacco, cigars or cigarettes in any form, or any compound of tobacco; penalty, fine \$5.00 to \$50.00.

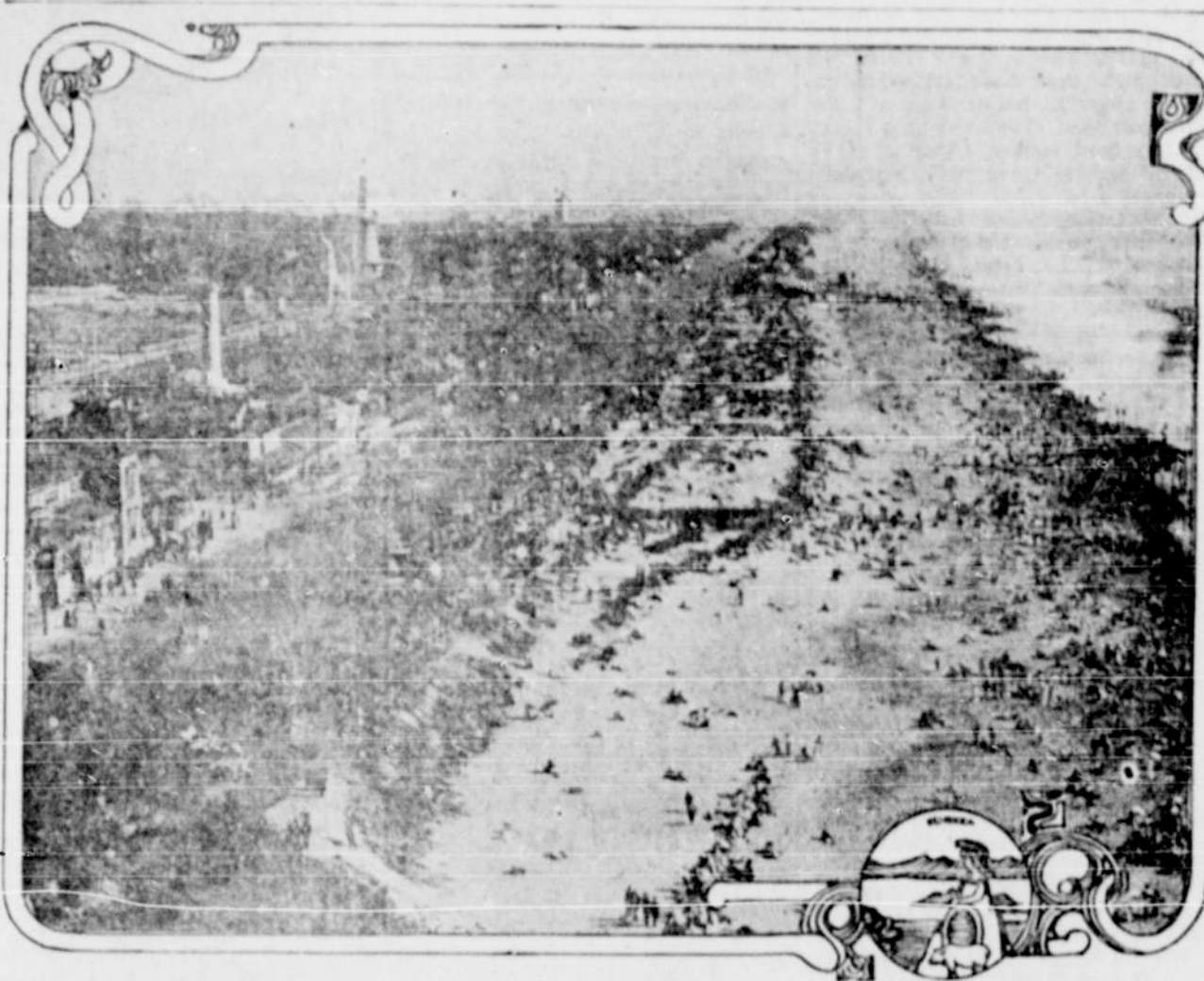
"It shall be unlawful for any minor to use tobacco in any form whatsoever in any public highway, street, place, square or resort; penalty, fine of \$1.00 to \$10.00 or two days imprisonment for each offense.

"If any person, being owner, lessee, proprietor, or employer of any cigar store, public card room, saloon, bar room, public billiard room, public pool room, or soft drink establishment, shall suffer or permit any minor under 21 years to engage in any game for either amusement or otherwise, shall be declared guilty of a misdemeanor; penalty, fine of \$25.00 to \$100.00. Any minor who represents his age as 21 years or over may be fined \$10.00 to \$100.00."

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A Good Position

Can be had by ambitious young men and ladies in the field of "Wireless" or Railroad telegraphy. Since the 8-hour law became effective, and since the Wireless companies are establishing stations throughout the country there is a great shortage of telegraphers. Positions pay beginners from \$70 to \$90 per month, with good chance for advancement. The National Telegraph Institute of Portland, Oregon, operates under supervision of R. R. and Wireless officials and places all graduates into positions. It will pay you to write them for full details. 23-4



PACIFIC OCEAN BEACH FRONTING THE EXPOSITION SITE IN GOLDEN GATE PARK.

PANAMA-PACIFIC TO BE THE GREATEST OF ALL EXPOSITIONS

FOLLOWING the battleship parade into San Francisco harbor at the opening of the Panama-Pacific International exposition there will be a program of events of world interest and importance in a succession of two months apart interspersed with lesser events—yacht races and motorboat races of an international character for great trophies and cash prizes, aviation meets with the famous bird men of the world, Olympic games in which the athletes of the world will take part, intercollegiate contests, automobile races in which the holders of the world's records will participate in the automobiles of every nation, military maneuvers in which the crack infantry and cavalry of this and other nations will participate upon an extended scale. The location of the exposition gives widest scope for the greatest international sports program in history. The auto races will pass into Golden Gate park before the concrete coliseum, which will have a seating capacity of 75,000 people. The military maneuvers and Olympic games will also be held in the stadium. On San Francisco bay motorboats will vie for the world's records before the Harbor View site of the exposition. The yachtsmen of the world will sail from Europe across the Atlantic to New York and then through the Panama canal to San Francisco.

The Panama-Pacific International exposition was first proposed by Mr. R. B. Hale, a merchant of San Francisco, in 1904. Mr. Hale wrote a letter to the Merchants' association, and the idea took like wildfire. At that time it was anticipated that the canal would be opened in 1913, and 1913 was the date set for the exposition. An organization of the commercial bodies began the preliminary work, but in 1906 came the fire. No one was dismayed. In a shack built over embers hardly cool a

dry goods merchant placed a great sign, "Panama-Pacific International Exposition, San Francisco, 1913," and this became the battlecry in the fight to build a new city.

Of more than \$20,000,000 now appropriated by California \$7,000,000 has been raised by popular subscriptions, \$1,000,000 is assured through a special act of the legislature permitting the counties to tax themselves for exposition purposes, \$5,000,000 was appropriated by the state of California, and San Francisco has voted a bond issue of \$5,000,000. This is the largest sum that has ever been raised for a world's exposition at an initial stage. But it is only a starter.



ST. FRANCIS MEMORIAL TOWER.

The contributions of China and Japan toward the exposition in magnificence and variety will surpass anything ever seen outside of the orient and even in the far east itself. A conservative estimate of their combined expenditure toward the exposition is \$10,000,000. Hawaii and the Philippines will contribute more than \$1,000,000 each.

The Pacific coast of the United States and the whole west will be featured up more extensively than they have been within their history. Side excursions from the main line or stop-overs upon any of the eight transcontinental systems terminating upon the Pacific coast will afford the visitor an opportunity to see those attractions of America that appeal to him. To most people the names of these places will carry a picture—the Yosemite, the Grand Canyon of the Colorado, the

Yellowstone National park, Great Salt lake, Puget sound, the inland trip to Alaska, the government's huge reclamation projects in sixteen western states, the Columbia river region, the redwood forests of California, the firs of Oregon, the big trees on the approach to the Yosemite, Arizona and New Mexico, youngest of the states; Nevada and some of the greatest mining camps in the world. Perhaps most interesting of all will be the opportunity for a trip through the Panama canal either coming or going.

The reconstruction of San Francisco is one of the greatest miracles within the history of American municipalities. Five hundred and eight city blocks, embracing the principal business and residential portions of the city, were wiped from the earth in 1906. The streets were covered in some places with debris forty feet deep, yet today a stranger to the city would never know from its appearance that a fire had occurred.

The loss through the fire is estimated by insurance underwriters at \$400,000,000. To reconstruct San Francisco called for greater wealth than was destroyed by the fire and far exceeded the cost of building the Panama canal. Since the fire \$212,000,000 has been expended upon new buildings alone.

Today San Francisco is the newest city in the world. Its buildings represent the latest type of modern reinforced concrete structures. It has more than 1,300 hotels and apartment houses, with accommodations to suit all persons.

In preparing for the Panama-Pacific International exposition hundreds of its emissaries are visiting all the regions of the world. Fourteen governors of western states on a 4,000 mile trip through the east on a special train recently called attention to the exposition and became better acquainted with their brothers of the eastern states.

One of the directors of the exposition is now in Japan. It is said that his majesty the Emperor Mutsuhito will donate the use of the imperial art collection to the exposition. The board of lady managers, of which Mrs. Phoebe Hearst is honorary president, is independently taking up those phases of the exposition that belong particularly to woman's domain.

The setting is being prepared. With impressive exposition structures rising from San Francisco bay, with city and wooded slopes as a background and in the foreground a vast fleet of battle ships of the world, the sight will be one of the magnificent spectacles of history.

Local Firevies

Buggy for sale by Dr. Sanderson. New caps for men and boys at Wesley & Cain's.

Good oats baled hay for sale.—John Wesely.

Wm. Sims is here from Portland this week on a visit.

R. Shelton attended the good roads meeting at Albany last Friday.

New spring goods arriving every day now at Wesley & Cain's.

Wm. Brenner drove over to Gaston today to attend a public sale.

Wanted—a few young Brown Leghorn laying hens. Enquire at News office.

Cal Carson has purchased the celebrated race horse, Confederate, from Wm. Brenner.

A basketball game is billed for Saturday evening between Scio and Lacombe to be played here.

Truman Lukenbach and family moved this week from the Shope house on Main street to the Crabtree place.

Jas. Wesely arrived the latter part of the week from Wilson, Kansas, for a visit of a few weeks with relatives here.

Walter Bilyeu and family finished moving the last of the week from the Henry Meyer property to the Simmons place east of the mill race.

Full line of grass, field and garden seeds now in stock. All seeds guaranteed pure, true to name and at reasonable prices: at J. F. Wesely's.

John Leffer met with a painful though not serious accident Sunday when his horses ran away near the condenser. Little damage was done to the rig.

We now have in stock the Petaluma Incubators, which is considered the best machine on the market. Do not fail to see us before you buy.—Chas. Wesely.

R. Shelton tried out his new drag on the road leading to West Scio last Saturday. It seems to fill the bill all right and will be given a thorough test as soon as the roads dry out.

Land plaster, complete fertilizer, all tree sprays and arsenate of lead now in stock. Come and get our prices and further information regarding the above at J. F. Wesely's Grocery.

An accident was reported from West Scio Saturday, the names of the parties whom we failed to learn. Two small boys and their little sister were playing when they accidentally ground one of her fingers off in a washing machine.

In buying a plow get the best. The J. I. Case leads them all. They win out every time in trial tests in this locality. Sold by N. I. Morrison, under a positive guarantee.

Mrs. A. E. Edwards received a telegram Wednesday telling of the serious illness of her father in Colorado, and left this morning to be at his bedside. Mr. Edwards came over from Lebanon to help her away on her journey.

The Ladies Sewing Club passed a pleasant and profitable afternoon with Mrs. C. A. Warner Thursday February 8. The dining room was effectively decorated with pink carnations where a dainty luncheon was served by the hostess. The ladies will meet next with Mrs. Fred T. Bilyeu.

Dr. Prill received a professional call Monday evening from Belfountain in the southern part of Benton county, fifty-four miles from here, and left at three o'clock Tuesday morning for that place, driving by way of Corvallis where a change of horses was made for the rest of the long trip. It is safe to say that not many towns the size of Scio can boast of a doctor that receives calls from such a distance, when any number of physicians could be secured close at hand.

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