

REORGANIZATION OF HOME MISSIONS BY PRESBYTERIANS

CHICAGO, May 27.—Reorganization of the Board of Home Missions of the Presbyterian church in a manner to satisfy most of its critics in various synods and Presbyteries was accomplished today when the report of the standing committee on home missions presenting a plan of reorganization was adopted by the general assembly with little discussion.

Under the plan presented, the work of the board would be divided among four or more departments and while the general headquarters would continue to be in New York, the department of church extension would have its headquarters in the west.

The home mission committee report was presented by Rev. J. Ross Stevenson of Baltimore, who announced that Rev. Charles L. Thompson, general secretary of the board of home missions of the Presbyterian church, would retire from office June 1.

The outline of a plan of reorganization submitted by Rev. Stevenson for the committee in its salient features was:

That the board of home missions be increased from 24 to 39 members. That its headquarters remain in New York city.

That the work of management be entrusted to three or more coordinate secretaries and a treasurer.

FISHING SEASON OPENS MONDAY

The commercial fishing season in Rogue River will open at noon next Monday, June 1. Fishermen are now busy engaged in getting their boats and their paraphernalia ready and the fleet will be on the water in force to make the first drift down to the mouth of Jump-Off-Joe creek Monday night. Three boats have arrived from Oregon City, where they had been fishing during the season, which opens there earlier than it does here, and it is expected that several others will arrive from there during the week. It is said that 21 licenses for commercial fishing have already been taken out here, each license costing \$5, and each covering one boat of the fleet. Last year 42 licenses were taken out during the course of the season.

The chinook salmon run commenced much earlier this year than last, but the early run has already ascended to the upper river, the lower river containing a comparatively small number at present. The rise in the water caused by the recent heavy rains is expected to start a fresh run, however, and it is thought there will be plenty of fish at the opening of the season. A few chinooks are still being caught with rod and line, Claude Barden having landed three Sunday.

WHITE VICTOR OVER CHAMPION RITCHEE

MILWAUKEE, May 26.—Charlie White, a 23 year old Chicagoan, outfought and outboxed Willie Ritchie, the lightweight champion, in a viciously fought ten round contest here tonight. The Chicagoan was credited by newspaper critics with having the better of six of the ten rounds, two were declared even and the Californian was given the second and third rounds. Under the Wisconsin law no decision could be given by the referee.

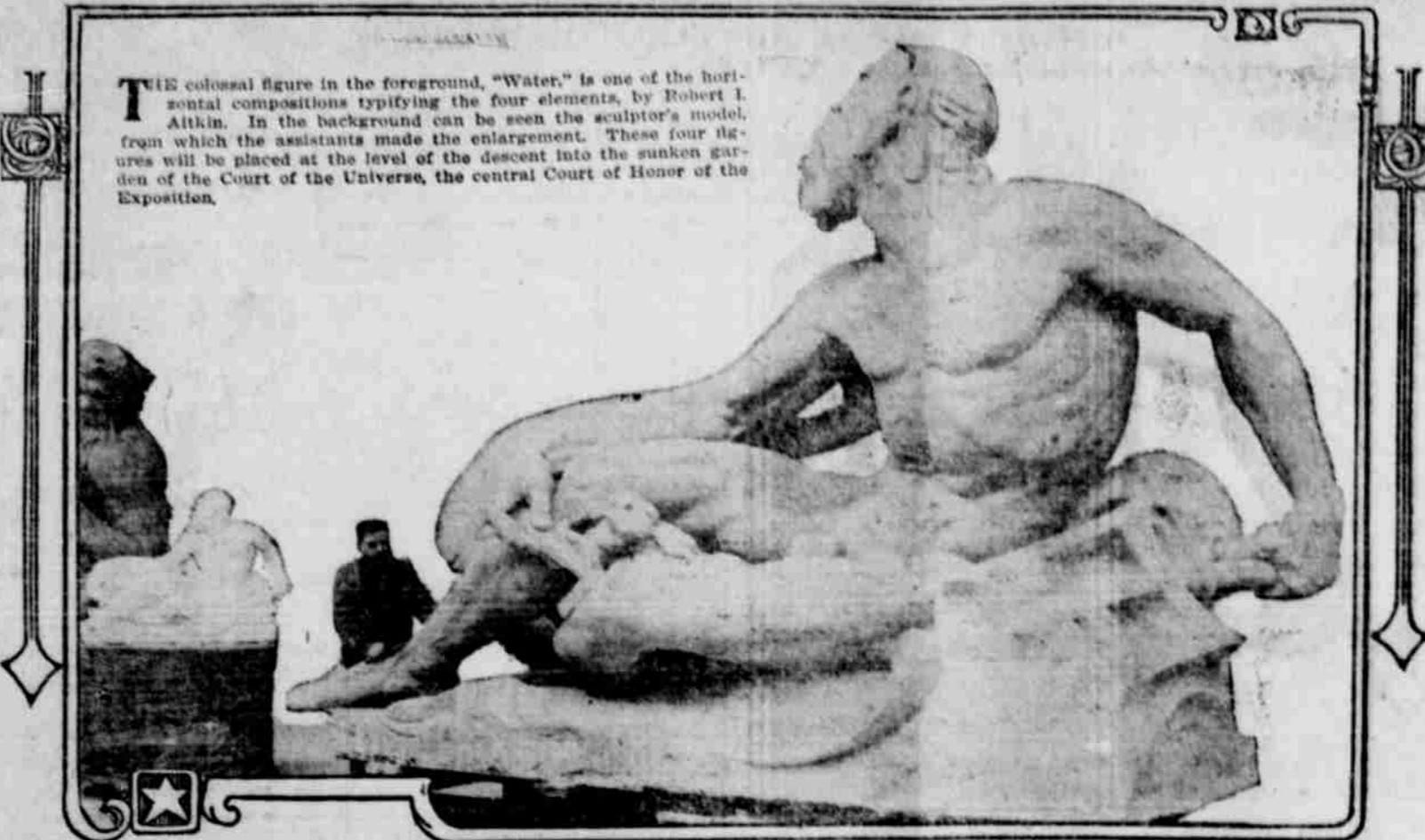
White took the lead in the first round and had the San Francisco boy backing away from a volley of left hand punches to the head. Ritchie's right eye was closed early in the contest and when the lightweight champion left the ring he was a sorry looking title holder.

Ritchie bled profusely from the nose and mouth as a result of White's damaging left hooks. The Chicagoan fought the cleaner battle. He seemed to have better judgment of distance and scored repeatedly with left hooks to the head. The lightweight champion used a right swing to the head as his most damaging blow.

There was not a knockdown during the ten rounds but White staggered the champion in the first with right and left punches to the jaw. Each man made 135 pounds, the stipulated weight at 5 o'clock, easily.

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Enlarging Sculptural Models For the Great Exposition at San Francisco



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THE colossal figure in the foreground, "Water," is one of the horizontal compositions typifying the four elements, by Robert I. Atkin. In the background can be seen the sculptor's model, from which the assistants made the enlargement. These four figures will be placed at the level of the descent into the sunken garden of the Court of the Universe, the central Court of Honor of the Exposition.

TALENT FARMERS INSTITUTE OPENS FOR TWO DAYS

The Talent farmers institute opens Thursday morning with Professors H. T. French, A. G. Lunn, C. I. Lewis, O. G. Bouquet, E. B. Flitt, of Oregon Agricultural College, as lecturers. The following is the program:

Thursday, May 28
9:45 a. m.—Music, piano solo.
10 a. m.—Lecture, Prof. A. G. Lunn, "Summer Care of Chickens; Vermin; Cheap Sanitary Coops," etc. Discussion. Turkey raising.
11:20—Ten-minute talk by Rogue river valley poultry raisers. Question box. Direction Prof. Lunn.
12 m.—Lunch, coffee, sandwiches and pies may be obtained in the building.
1:45 p. m.—Music, vocal solo.
2 p. m.—Lecture, Prof. H. T. French, "Best Crops for Southern Oregon Corn Culture, Silos," etc.
3 p. m.—Discussion and ten-minute talks. "Value of Sweet Clover," R. W. Kliden, Central Point; "Sheep on the Farm," Welborn Beeson, Talent. Question box, conducted by Prof. French.
7:30 p. m.—Music, Talent band; violin solo.
8 p. m.—Lectures by Prof. F. C. Reimer, Prof. A. G. Lunn and Prof. H. T. French.

ROOSEVELT BACK AT CAPITOL: SES WILSON

WASHINGTON, May 26.—Former President Roosevelt came back today to the national capital, where he spent seven years as chief executive. Into nine hours the colonel crowded a speech on his South American expedition, a call on President Wilson, a political conference of first importance with the progressives in congress, a visit to the Smithsonian institution to see the trophies from his African hunt of four years ago, a meeting with a few members of the diplomatic corps and a dinner with his old friends. Besides there were a dozen impromptu receptions from crowds in the railway station, at his hotel, in the streets and wherever he chanced to stop for a moment. It was a hot and busy day, but he went through it all without showing evidence of fatigue. The crowds, the cheers, the struggles to shake his hands, the photographers and all the rest were like old campaign days.

FOLK TO PROBE ALL MORGAN BOOKS

NEW YORK, May 27.—Joseph W. Folk, chief counsel for the Interstate Commerce Commission, arrived in New York today from Washington for the purpose of making plans for examination of the books of the Morgan firm and the personal papers and accounts of the late J. Pierpont Morgan, so far as they relate to New Haven railroad transactions.

Mr. Folk was accompanied by four men who were ready to begin on the books at once.

"We don't want one book or two books," he said, "we want them all."

WOMAN FIRES BLANK CARTRIDGE AT POLICE

EPSOM, May 27.—Ada Rice, supposed to be a militant suffragette, was arrested on Epsom Downs today after she had discharged a pistol loaded with blank cartridges at a policeman. The policeman was slightly injured.

FLOUNCE ROCK FRILLS

Earl Peyton accompanied his grandmother, Mrs. Herron, to Medford Tuesday and spent several days in town.

There was a dance at Mr. Brophy's Friday night. All present report a splendid time.

The men who had been working on the trail to Woodruff Meadows returned to their homes Sunday evening on account of the rain. They lacked two or three miles of getting the trail completed.

Quite a few pedestrians are going up the road these days, looking for work in Crater Lake park. Ranger West, accompanied by his wife, came up to Mill Creek station Friday.

T. M. Peeler has been laid up with a lame back this week, the result of a young horse pawing him.

Neelson Nye took his mother, Mrs. Chauncey Nye, to the station at Derby Tuesday, where she took the train for Eagle Point and Roseburg. Tracy Boothby and Mr. Waddell brought a load of pipe from Derby Saturday. They reported an exceedingly hard shower in the vicinity of Derby.

The farmers are rejoicing over the fine rains we've been having lately. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Kincaid and son Howard spent Saturday at Evergreen ranch. Mrs. Dittsworth also spent the afternoon there.

Don't forget Memorial day exercises at J. P. Dittsworth's camp grounds.

Messrs. Walker and Irwin of the power plant were buying garden truck eggs and cream at Peyton and Florence Rock Sunday.

Earl Peyton has a position at the Mansfield ranch for several months. Mr. Martin has left that place and gone to his home in the valley.

H. B. Vaughn made a trip to the valley last week to see his father, who is in poor health.

COURT HOUSE REPORT

Reported by Jackson County Abstract Co., Sixth and Fir Sts.

Marriage Licenses

Eugene Coy and Lillian E. Sheppard.
Julian P. Johnson and Estelle Daise.
Henry R. Sander and Mary Rose Dilsman.
Raymond C. Ward and Mildred E. Morse.

Circuit

R. Edward, J. S. Edwards, W. S. Edwards, Linda Austin and Kate Hill-ditch vs. John I. Talent, J. Oscar Talent, Charles P. Talent, executors of estate of A. P. Talent, deceased. Action for money, complaint filed.
Oregon Investment and Mortgage company vs. Vicca Negro. Action for money. Complaint, affidavit and undertaking and attachment filed.

The Jackson County Bank vs. The 491 Orchard and Land Co. Action to recover money. Complaint, affidavit and undertaking filed.
William Gross vs. George Flater and Chas. H. Hagg. Action to recover money. Complaint filed.
Beaver Portland Cement Co. vs. W. S. Fitzgerald et al. Affidavit filed.
J. P. Hansen vs. A. B. Robbins. Summons filed.

Wm. Ulrich vs. W. T. Grievie and Katie M. Grievie. Reply filed.
Edna G. Billings vs. Fred S. Billings. Summons.
E. M. Lamport vs. A. W. Walker. Summons.
W. H. Edmunds vs. Nuera Mining and Milling Co. Summons.
C. B. Stark vs. Mutual Fire Company. Satisfaction of judgment.
Clark E. Saunders vs. Prospect Construction Co. Judgment rendered.

James A. Parson vs. Nellie F. Parson. Affidavit and order for publication.
L. I. Wheeler vs. W. A. Jones. Reply filed.
J. W. Merrill vs. John H. Griffiths. Summons filed.
Eud Creely vs. Elwin Creely. Default entered.

Nora Neathammer vs. Clara Hoag et al. Order extending time.
Henry J. Millman vs. Electric Gold Dredging Co. Affidavit.

With Medford trade is Medford made.

GOOD GAINS IN STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, May 27.—The stock market closed strong. Stocks scored general gains on the day, the early period of which was marked by moderate activity, later giving way to renewed dullness. Prices showed a little from the best in the final dealings, but a sudden surge in Mexican Petroleum advanced that stock 1%. Authoritative advice respecting conditions in the steel trade were of a negative character. The comparative strength and activity of today's early dealings were popularly ascribed to the latest turn in the Mexican negotiations, coupled with further encouraging crop advice. Canadian Pacific was the feature with a two point gain, and the usual leaders rose material fractions. The only noteworthy exception to the rising tendency was New Haven, which yielded a point.

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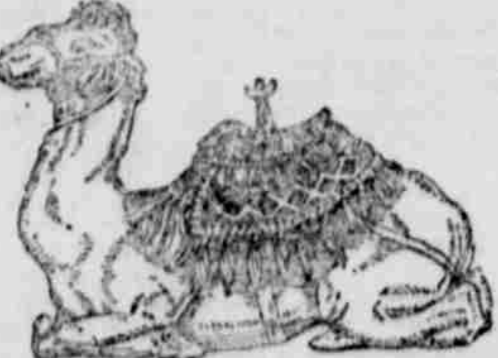
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