LOOKS LIKE REFORM

Mayor Williams Says Gambling Must Stop.

POLICE COMMISSIONERS MEET

Decide to Make Whitechapel Wear Outward Appearance of Decency —Mr. Bates Made President of Board.

At a two hours' executive session of the Police Commission last night George W. Bates was elected president and Louis D. Rau secretary. A general discussion ensued as to the abolition of disorderly houses on Fourth street, from Ankeny to Gisan, and the order given by Chief McLauchlan to stop open gambling was approved. There were present: Mayor Williams, W. M. Ladd, G. W. Bates, A. L. Maxwell and Chief McLauchlan. On Mr. Ladd's motion, Mr. Bates was elected president, and he thanked his fellow-members for the honor.

After the meeting adjourned the Mayor said to an Oregonian man: "We have talked over a plan of action with reference to disorderly houses on Fourth street, and have come to the conclusion that none of these disorderly women will be allowed to live on that important thoroughfare. They will have to move elsewhere, to more secluded quarters—to the lower end of the town, or somewhere on the outskirts. Action will soon be taken. Then we discussed the gambling question, and decided that gambling must stop. That is about all that took place. There is no use in our trying to do too many things at once. If we take one or two things at a time, and keep at them, something will be accomplished."

An effort was made to find out from the police, as to what steps they will take to purify Fourth street, but they would not discuss their plans nor state when the order to move shall be given. Several of the Whitechapel men and women have already caught the alarm and have moved to other streets, but the great majority of the offenders are remaining on Fourth street until they get the order to move from the police. It is likely that any day now policemen will notify Whitechapel lawbreakers to vacate their houses within a certain time or take their chance of being arrested. As the Mayor has said that all the influence of his administration will be used to imprison disorderly people, instead of the usual fine of $25 being imposed, all vagrants dread the fate before them if they are once in the clutches of the police. The probability is, therefore, that the offenders will obey the police order when it is given, and seek other quarters off the ground floor. Trouble is anticipated from several of the landlords of these miserable rookeries, who bitterly complain that the "sacred" rights of property have been attacked. With Fourth street cleaned of disorderly people, such notorious resorts as the Favorite and Mint saloons, run by "Bob" Patterson, would lose so much money that it would no longer be profitable to operate them. Loss of revenue will work more havoc with Whitechapel resorts than all the laws of Oregon. It is understood that attempts will be made to influence the Williams administration during the next day or two to keep Whitechapel as it is at present.

The police say that after careful search all open gambling in the city has ceased, and that if any play does exist it is carried on behind closed doors.

MAZAMAS' ANNUAL OUTING

Party of Mountain-Climbers Will Leave for Adams July 14.

The ninth annual outing and mountain climb of the Mazamas will begin on July 14, continuing for 10 days. The Mecca of the Mazamas this year is the summit of Mount Adams, 60 miles north of the Columbia River, in the State of Washington. The first division will leave Portland on Monday, July 14, at 7 A. M., going by river steamer to White Salmon, Wash. A second division, composed of those who cannot start on Monday, will leave the following day, joining the first division at Trout Lake, Wednesday evening, July 16. On Thursday arrangements will be made to climb the mountain, and on Friday the advance to the timber line will be made. On Saturday, July 19, the ascent will be made to the summit, where several hours will be spent.

Mount Adams is 12,470 feet in height, or more than 1000 feet higher than Mount Hood. Those who have climbed Mount Adams say that the view from its summit is an excellent one, and that the Mazamas made no mistake in selecting their outing place for 1902.

During the day following the climb—Sunday, July 20—the party will rest at the timber line and will, on Monday, July 21, make side trips to the famous Mount Adams ice caves and other points of interest. On Tuesday, July 22, the return trip will be commenced.

The trip will be an inexpensive one, and it is not limited to members of the society. Others who desire to go should notify some member of the outing committee as soon as possible. This committee consists of A. J. Capron, L. L. Hawkins, Mark O'Neill and A. F. Fiegel. Experienced guides and mountain-climbers will accompany the party, and the whole outing gives promise of being a pleasant one.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Judge William M. Cake is transacting professional business at Baker City.

County Assessor C. E. McDonell is spending his vacation at San Francisco.

Harry Corbett has returned from Harvard University, having completed his junior year.

George H. Kelley, president of the Booth-Kelley Lumber Company, is registered at the Imperial from Eugene.

Frank J. Sladen, of this city, who was recently graduated from Yale University, is expected home in a few days.

W. B. King, formerly connected with the Oregon Telephone & Telegraph Company, is registered at the Portland from San Francisco.

W. W. Catlin, of New York, was among yesterday's arrivals at the Portland. Mr. Catlin formerly lived in Portland, and is well known here.

Joseph Best, who was formerly a resident of Portland, but who is now engaged in the hop and grain business at Gervais, is in the city, and will remain until Friday.

President E. D. Ressler, of the Monmouth Normal School, is in the city for a few days. He says that the prospects for large attendance at Monmouth next year are flattering.

Director Jas. Withycombe, of the State Agricultural College Experiment Station, is attending the convention of the Pure Food and Dairy Departments, now being held in this city.

News has been received that Robert E. Crowley, a nephew of D. Crowley, of Portland, and who is well known in this city, has just been appointed assistant postmaster at Washington, D. C.

J. H. Raley, the well-known Pendleton lawyer, is transacting some legal business in the city. He is accompanied by Attorney R. J. Slater, of Pendleton, who is a son of the late United States Senator J. H. Slater.

L. L. Mulit, train dispatcher for the Southern Pacific Company, at Ashland, was in Portland yesterday on his way home from an extended trip to the East. He visited New Orleans, Washington, Philadelphia, New York and many other of the principal cities, and passed through 25 states and territories. He says there is no place like Oregon.

Hon. V. B. Dolliver, the popular Iowa politician, who has been in Oregon for several months, will leave this morning for Seattle, and after a short visit at that place, expects to spend a brief time in the Yellowstone National Park before returning to his home at Fort Dodge, Ia. Mr. Dolliver stumped this state for the Republican ticket during the recent campaign and also delivered an interesting Fourth of July oration at Astoria. He is a public speaker of ability, his arguments from the stump being most convincing. Mr. Dolliver is a brother of Iowa's junior United States Senator. By occupation he is a lawyer-farmer.

WANT THEIR CHILDREN.

John Gateley and Wife Petition for Their Custody to County Court.

A contest between John Gateley and his wife for the custody of their children, in which the Boys' and Girls' Aid Society appears in an intermediary capacity, was heard by Judge Webster yesterday, and a decision will be rendered Friday afternoon.

There are two boys, George, aged 10, and Raymond, aged 6, who are at present in a Catholic institution at Vancouver, Wash., and there is also a girl, Marie Gateley, 8 years old, who is living with her grandparents, James Brady and wife, on the East Side. Gateley wants the custody and control of all of the children, and asserts that his parents will care for them. Mr. and Mrs. Brady insist upon having the custody of Marie, and the main question in controversy is, Who shall have the little girl?

Mr. Gardner, superintendent of the Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, is willing that the two boys be turned over to Gateley's parents, if it is shown that they will take proper care of them, and he is also willing to trust the future life of Marie to the Bradys, but the decision rests with the court.

The petition filed recites that Gateley is a drunkard and that Mrs. Gateley is a woman of notoriously bad reputation.

Dan J. Murphy appeared as attorney for the father, and J. J. Fitzgerald represented the mother and Mr. Gardner. The latter also appeared in his own behalf and assisted generally in the trial of the case.

The first witness called was James Menane, a hackdriver. He stated that he has been acquainted with Gateley for five years, and with Mrs. Gateley for 15 years. He had frequently seen Gateley drunk.

Gateley's attorney interrupted with the remark that it was admitted that Gateley was drunk six months ago, or more, but since that time had braced up.

Mr. Gardner said he could show to the contrary, and asked the witness: "When did you last see Mr. Gateley intoxicated?"

Menane replied: "About three or four weeks ago. He was staggering up Washington street."

"Have you recently seen him with a black eye?"

"Yes, sir; but I do not know what caused it."

Mr. Gardner asked how Gateley treated his family, and the witness answered: "Gateley did not treat his wife will. He abused her, and choked her and threw her on the floor. Once he sold some of her things. She came to my house almost every day, and my wife used to give her something to eat and something for the children. When they were first married, Mrs. Gateley was a very nice woman."

Gateley in his own behalf testified that he formerly had a good position and "Gateley did not treat his wife well. He admitted that he drank sometimes, but said he stopped six months ago, and now only took an occasional drink. He remarked: "I am never more under the influence of liquor than I am right now."

"How many drinks have you had today?" asked Mr. Gardner.

"One this morning," said the witness.

"An eyeopener, I suppose," was the rejoinder. "Proceed."

Gateley said he had been working recently selling goods on commission for F. E. Beach. On cross-examination he stated that Mr. Beach was willing to keep him if he would straighten up, but wished it understood that his (Gateley's) wages would be paid to his mother. Several other witnesses were examined.

Judge Webster, at the conclusion, said it was a case which appealed to the heart as well as to the judicial sense. He desired to hear from Mrs. Brady, who was not present, and the case for that reason was continued until Friday morning.

KICKS AT JAIL FARE.

Ex-Prisoner Throws His Shoe Through Contractor's Window.

Edward Taylor, an Englishman, about 40 years old, with linguistic powers of no mean ability, is evidently one of those persons who expects Eastern oysters, Mumm's extra dry, porterhouse steak, a perfumed lounge and a few other delicacies when he becomes an inmate of the City Jail. He has often been arrested, according to the police records, and finished a term on the rockpile Tuesday.

Because he didn't like the cooking of the restaurateur who supplies meals to the prisoners at the City Jail, Taylor fortified himself with a stiff glass of whisky and then he deliberately threw one of his tattered shoes through one of the restaurant windows. Policemen Bailey and Gibson were passing at Third and Pine streets at the time, and they placed Taylor under arrest. That is why the prisoner faced Municipal Judge Hogue yesterday. The charge of disorderly conduct was placed against him.

"Oh, I'm guilty, I s'pose," remarked Taylor, with a grin. "But I'm no hobo. I'm a fur trader, and I own one of the smartest vessels sailing on the Columbia. I was released from jail Tuesday, and the police threw me in again. They nearly starved me to death in the jail. They didn't give me enough to keep a canary bird alive. Naturally, I got sore at the contractor who furnishes the grub, and I smashed his window. I'm sorry for it now. The jail is no place for a white man."

"This court has no jurisdiction over the jail," remarked Municipal Judge Hogue.

"It's such places as the City Jail where the Tracys and Merrills are made," asserted Taylor, in a rage. "It's an awful place. They don't give you a blanket to lie down on. Don't send me back again. Let me go, and I'll start to work right away."

"You can after serving 20 days in jail," replied the Judge.

"Is that all?" sarcastically asked Taylor.

"Thirty days," repeated the Judge, and Taylor opened his mouth again to talk, but closed it with a snap. Taylor is rugged and hearty and looks as if he had taken care of his regular meals every day.

"If he doesn't like prison fare, why does he get into jail so often?" asked a policeman, wonderingly.

Castro at Barcelona.

WILLEMSTAD, Island of Curacao, July 9.—General Castro, President of Venezuela, arrived at Barcelona, in the State of Bermudese, Venezuela, on board the steamer Ossun. The Ossun towed two schooners loaded with government troops to Barcelona from La Guayra, which port she left last Sunday. Barcelona, which is three miles from the coast, is partly surrounded by the revolutionists, who are said to be quite numerous. President Castro does not intend to attack the enemy before next Sunday.

BUSINESS ITEMS.

If Baby Is Cutting Teeth,

Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and diarrhoea.

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"Vudor" Porch Shades will be found a great comfort during hot weather.

Coast Articles Blankets, Comforters, Bathing Suits, housekeeping goods—such as Linens, Towels, Chinaware, Kitchen Goods, etc., can be purchased to best advantage here. We will attend to the packing and shipping.

Trunks, Bags Trunks, Traveling Bags and Telescopes—by far the largest showing in the city. Every style and size one may desire and a saving on every purchase. (3d Floor.)

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Ladies' and men's fabric Gloves in regular and gauntlet styles, suitable for bicycle riding, driving and outing wear, all sizes, three shades of tan and brown, a good variety of styles, 50c, 75c and $1 values at

25c pr

(Glove Counters.)

Hammocks and Croquet Sets in many styles and at all prices from 75c up. (Third Floor.)

All-Overs Stirring Values

The only time to offer merchandise under price is when it is needed—when the demand is excessive, that is why we exploit this sale of All-Overs at this time. There is not a kind in the sale but what is very much in vogue and marked extraordinarily low.

Embroidered linen All-Overs, tucked linens and Batistes, lace striped linen tuckings, best styles for waists and trimmings, wonderful values at, yard.. 87c

Colored embroidered linen Batistes in beautiful styles for waists and trimming, all the regular $2.50 values at, yard $1.48

Embroidered Linens and fancy Chiffons in magnificent styles—the handsomest materials shown this season, $4.50 and $5 values, yard $2.98

Friday Surprise Sale

Sensational Shoe Sale for the 672d Friday Surprise Offering. A great gathering of about 1000 pairs of ladies' and misses' tan lace Shoes in regulation or 10-inch tops—light soles, good style toe and all sizes—every pair in the lot $3 values. The high top styles are especially desirable for coast, mountains or outing wear—without doubt the greatest shoe value ever offered in the Northwest. None will be sold to dealers—no fitting—$3.00 shoes for, pair **$1.25**

(See Fifth Street Window Display.)

Grocery Prices

Phone Private Exchange 4.

5-lbs. Perfection Table Salt 15c
3 pkgs. Assorted Jell-O, 25c
2 bottles Snider's Catsup, 35c
Qt. Hill's Olive Oil 90c
Qt. Cooper's Olive Oil.. $1.15
Postum Cereal 20c
Fig Prune Cereal 20c
Grain-O Cereal 20c
11 cakes Royal Soap 25c
3 cans Peacock Oysters.. 25c
16-oz. bot. Queen Olives, 80c
Libby's Cottage Head Cheese 20c
1-lb. jar Chipped Beef 25c
Libby's Whole Pig's Feet, 10c
Libby's Ham Loaf 10c
Libby's Chicken Loaf 15c
22 lbs. Granulated Sugar, $1
100-lb. sack Western Dry Granulated Sugar $4.25

Full line of the famous Inner Seal package goods for picnic parties, etc.

Picnic supplies of all kinds.

Ostermoor Mattresses Are the best in the land—all have hand-laid filling—prices are particularly reasonable—they're to be bought in Portland at this store only. Look them over. (2d Floor.)

Ribbon Values

There's still on sale a great lot of 4½-inch Satin Taffetas and Liberty Satins in superior quality and all the leading shades—black, white, cream, old rose, pink, light blue, hello, cardinal and green—ribbon that always sells at 35c yard, your choice

25c yard

2000 yds. of white dotted silk Ribbon, 3 inches wide, exceptional value at, yard 10c

Ladies' Neckwear Cleaning up our entire stock of ladies' silk Neckwear—jabots, stocks, stock and ties and scores of novelties. You can purchase any piece in the entire stock at a great reduction from regular selling price.

Parasols Entire stock at big reduction.

Cloak Dept.

Wash Skirts in new styles.

Wash Suits at special prices.

Entire stock of tailor-made Suits at less than cost.

All Novelty Costumes at greatly reduced prices.

Shopping Skirts reduced.

Flannel and alpaca Bathing Suits for ladies and children, prettiest styles, reasonably priced.

Bathing Caps and Shoes, all sizes and styles.

Wash Fabrics

Trotting away at remarkably low prices. Almost everything in the stock can now be bought at a big reduction—Lawns, Batistes, Swisses, Linens, Ginghams, etc., in all the prettiest patterns and colorings.

"Gendron"

Baby Carriages and Stationary Go-Carts at greatly reduced prices. Cleaning up the stock while the season is at its height. Don't buy a baby carriage until you've seen our values.

Basement

Mason Fruit Jars, pints, 50c doz.; qts., 58c doz.; 1-2 gal., 75c doz.

Jelly Glasses at lowest prices.

Metal Knives and Forks, set of 6 for 73c.

Screen Windows, 25c, 30c, 35c.

Tin Table Spoons, 12c dz.

Special sale of low-priced Dinner Sets, suitable for coast use.

"Gurney" Refrigerators, all sizes.

Low-priced Lamps and Lanterns for coast use. (Basement.)

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ACCIDENT TO DREDGE.

Pump Draws Up Iron and Sustains Internal Injury.

The centrifugal pump on the city dredge was badly damaged yesterday by the drawing up from the river bottom of some iron wreckage in front of the Oceanic dock. The accident occurred just before noon, and the machinery of the dredge was almost ruined.

The dredge, which is used by the Port of Portland Commission to clean up the harbor and keep the river channel in shape for navigation, has been doing a large amount of work lately, and the accident will unfit it for use for some little time. Engineers from the Columbia Boiler Works have already commenced temporary repairs on the engines, and it is estimated that $1000 will be required to put the dredge in a condition for temporary use, while complete repairs will require twice that amount.

The 400-horsepower hydraulic pump used on the dredge is 15 feet in width, and is capable of drawing up many tons of solid matter from the river bottom during a day's operation. The iron rubbish that caused the damage yesterday was probably left in the river from boxcar wreckage after the Pacific Coast elevator fire in 1895.

COMMUTATION TICKETS TO THE COAST.

The O. R. & N. Co. has made a $15 rate for individual five-ride, round-trip commutation tickets, Portland to North Beach and Clatsop Beach points. These tickets will be good any time from date of sale up to October 15, 1902, and will be honored in either direction between Portland and Astoria on the boats of the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company, the White Collar Line, the Vancouver Transportation Company and on trains of the A. & C. R. R. Tickets now on sale at O. R. & N. office, Third and Washington.

RECREATION.

If you wish to enjoy a day of rest and pleasure, take the O. R. & N. train from Union depot at 9 A. M. for a short trip up the Columbia, returning, if desired, by boat from Cascade Locks. Tickets and particulars at O. R. & N. ticket office, Third and Washington.

SEAMEN'S MISSION WORK

Delightful Fete Tonight at the Weidler House.

A lawn fete for the benefit of the Seamen's Mission will be given at the home of George W. Weidler, Nineteenth and Lovejoy streets, this evening. The following is a list of the booths and the ladies who will have charge of them:

Candy, Mrs. F N Kolloch and Miss Georgina Burns

Lemonade, Mrs. H. T. Brooke and Miss Sansbury.

Ice cream, Mrs. E. T. C. Stevens, Miss Wilson and the ladies of the institute.

Peanuts, Miss May Hirsch and Miss Hexter.

Gipsy camp, Mrs. Grayson.

Palmist, Madame Kathleen.

Aunt Sally, Miss Helen Goss and Miss Evelyn Newman.

Clock golf, Miss Sibson and Miss Emma Failing.

A string quartet will play during the evening.

The transfer system is not used by any street railway in Great Britain.

Olds, Wortman & King

This warm weather means a quick demand for thin dresses and shirtwaist suits. We have them in goodly quantities and "right" styles—more, we are going to sell most of them tomorrow at the sweeping reductions announced below. We suggest early coming.

Dainty Summer Costumes

GO ON SALE TOMORROW

VALUES TO $30.00 AT

$7.85

Tomorrow morning as soon as our store is opened begins the sacrifice of our entire line of ladies' wash dresses and thin summer costumes. Some are of sheer dainty fabrics—as organdies, dimities and fine lawns, others are of the heavier and more serviceable materials, as linens, piques, etc. All are well made and daintily trimmed; some with embroidery, others with lace and ribbons; really choice, desirable styles, in a splendid variety of patterns and colors. Regular values up to $30 a suit; all go in this sale at $7.85

Ladies' Trimmed Hats

Along with the Summer suits go the Summer hats—down go the prices with a crash—only a portion of each price left. Trimmed hats, suitable for all occasions, values to $20.00 now sell for $9; values to $10 for $4.98; values to $6 for $3.45 and $1.49

Ladies' Handkerchiefs

For tomorrow's special selling we have arranged a choice variety of ladies' fine lawn handkerchiefs—the embroidered, hemstitched and lace-trimmed kinds; nice new stock; values from 25c to 40c; for one day only ..... each, 19c

Hammocks Fourth Floor

Two extra specials in the line of hammocks for tomorrow only. A good common hammock 35 x 72 inches, plain weave, with spreader; regular 65c; special at 49c

Also a good assortment of full-color hammocks with valance, pillow, spreader and foot bar. Regular prices, $2.25, $2.50 and $2.75. Tomorrow only at $1.78

Sales for Today

Ice Cream Freezers, Fruit Jars and Jelly Glasses, Baby Carriages and Go-Carts—the Whitney make, none better; Wash Dress Goods, Remnants and Plain Colored Silks, Women's Tan Shoes and Oxfords, Boys' and Youths' Vacation Shoes.

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Our entire stock of 40c and 50c finest all-silk fancy ribbons, 25c

Laces

Butter color and white VENISE BANDS 35c quality at 25c yard. 50c quality at 33c yard. Also 2000 yards Lace All-Overs at half price.

Embroideries

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For Bathing Suits

Mohair Sicilian and Brilliantine, at 75c and $1.00 yard.

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Gentlemen's Balbriggan Underwear.. .19
Fine Lawn Shirtwaists, 32 and 34 only each 1.35
Ladies' Sleeveless Vests, lisle finish, each ..... .19
Gentlemen's Straw and Crash Hats, 50c and 75c grade, each ..... .25
Ladies' 50c Wash Hats ..... .33
10c Window Scrim ..... .05
Fancy Hat Pins, each ..... .03
Ladies' Drop Stitch Hose, lace effect, 35c grade, pair ..... .25

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