

COX CLAMPS LID DOWN ON TOWN

Police Are Once More Ordered to Enforce Restrictive Ordinance.

CHIEF RESUMES HIS DUTIES

Officers Must Keep Eyes Open for Disorderly Houses and Violators of Liquor Laws Are to Be Promptly Punished.

His first official act being a repetition of the celebrated clean-up order of April 12, Chief of Police Cox, on orders of Mayor Simon, resumed his office yesterday.

Chief Cox appeared at police headquarters shortly after noon, wearing his uniform, and at once issued an order as follows:

On April 12 I issued strict instructions to the members of this department to enforce rigidly all ordinances pertaining to lawless houses, gambling and lodging houses, and other places used in the illegal sale of liquor.

Drastic steps against "combination houses," which come under the ban of the "moral" ordinance, were taken yesterday, when six saloon-keepers were arrested for maintaining passageways from their saloons to rooms overhead.

The defendants are Antonio del Grosse, 54 North First street; John Doe Durham, 275 Burnside street; Mawma Chioit, 54 North First street; Casper Arduessen, 212 Front street; Madeline Colombet, 1111 Commercial street; Armond Percott, 50 North Fourth street.

FURNITURE MEN ON TRIP

Washington Dealers Pay Surprise Visit to Ira F. Powers.

A jolly party of prominent Washington furniture men arrived at the Oregon Hotel last night to pay a surprise visit to Ira F. Powers, of Portland.

LABOR COUNCIL'S STAND

Several Initiative Measures Receive Indorsement of Body.

The Central Labor Council at its regular session last night appropriated \$100 to be used in lighting the city ordinance prohibiting the carrying of banners and the anti-boycott measure which came up for action by the people under the referendum on June 8.

The "no-seat-on-side" ordinance, an initiative measure which provides that streets may carry only the number of persons for whom it is possible to provide seats, was indorsed. Dan Kollaber delivered an address and succeeded in having indorsed the proposed municipal paving plant measure, which is also to be adopted or rejected on municipal election day.

MAN ROBBED, THEN BEATEN

J. M. Repass Held Up by Two Armed Outlaws Last Night.

J. M. Repass, aged 62, a real estate dealer, who lives at 214 Holladay avenue, was held up, robbed and beaten last night at Union and Holladay avenues by two armed men. The robbers took Repass' gold watch and purse containing \$2. Repass was knocked unconscious by a blow in the face by one of the outlaws, and his nose was broken. He says the men passed him by stepping out from behind a tree.

TILLAMOOK PLANS FLOAT

Queen Will Be Chosen for Participation in Rose Festival.

TILLAMOOK, Or., May 26.—(Special.)—Tillamook county will have a float at the Rose Festival representing its industries and products.

HERRMANN FOR PORTLAND

Grand Exalted Ruler of Elks Will Work for 1912 Meeting Here.

August Herrmann, better known among his brother Elks and to the baseball fans of the country as "Daddy" grand exalted ruler of the Beneficent and Protective Order of Elks, left

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Marche.....Ethel Marsh
Don Fernando.....Madalena Angel
Duke of Abrantes.....J. Ughhart
Countess of Castille.....Charlotte Disney
Princess of Castille.....Monica Schmidt
Royal guests—Misses: Misses: H. Moska, E. Mayer, J. Mollen, C. Tonnell and Messrs: E. Phelan, J. Conway, M. East, Alfonso, M. Phelan, Peppia, Parbha and Venus, Irene Studley, Misses: H. Billings and G. Wankow, Amartia, Misses: Miss Ethel Dusan, Royal Guards—Messrs: E. Phelan, H. Tonnell, Royal Page—Master: W. Early, H. W. Brooker, W. Early, R. Koneck, J. O. Leach, H. O'Loughlin.

SOLDIERS TO ENCAMP

SPANISH-AMERICAN VETERANS TO MEET AT VANCOUVER.

Monster Snake, Special Parades and Review of Troops Among Interesting Features.

VANCOUVER BARRACKS, Wash., May 26.—(Special.)—The Spanish-American War veterans at this post are making preparations for the encampment of the State of Washington and Territory of Alaska, which will be held here June 6, 7 and 8. It is expected that at least 600 delegates will come from this state, besides a number of delegates from Alaska.

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the coming meeting a big success, as he has lent every aid possible for him to do. Following the serpent parade on June 7 a banquet will be given in Columbia Hall, in Vancouver. MAN ADMITS CHECK BAD H. F. Rogan Is Arrested for Cash- ing Northwest Paper at St. Johns. Within four hours after a Portland detective received information through the American Builders' Association that H. F. Rogan was wanted for cashing a worthless draft for \$52.25 on the First National Bank of St. Johns, May 9, Rogan was arrested. Rogan presented a draft for \$52.25 on the Cleveland Trust Company at the St. Johns bank, May 9, and received the full amount. Yesterday morning the draft was returned as worthless. At 11 o'clock the case was in the hands of the detective agency and at 4:30 P. M. G. H. Culper, local superintendent of the Burns' National Detective Association, and Deputy Constable Nicholson arrested Rogan at the New Scott Hotel, Seventh and Burnside streets. Rogan admitted that the draft was fraudulent and that he had been in hiding in Portland. Mrs. George E. Howell, of Lamont, Wash., is visiting relatives and friends in Portland for a few days.

ANGLO-AMERICAN On the 20th of June, England will crown a King. This great historical ceremony has a certain interest for all English-speaking nations and particularly our own, and in recognition of this the Century for June has been given a decided English flavor. A striking wide-awake article, "The Commercial Strength of Great Britain," by a great government expert, J. D. Whelpley, opens the number and there are unusual illustrations by Joseph Pennell, the etcher. Two imaginative pictures of English children by Arthur Rackham, in full color, illustrate Lady St. Helier's paper on "The Training of English Children," and Austin Dobson contributes a felicitous poem. Rear-Admiral Mahan, an authority on sea power in two continents, links the economic development of our two nations together in his powerful article, "The Panama Canal and Sea Power in the Pacific," and in "The Flavor of Life at Oxford" Tertius van Dyke, an American student at that charming old university, gives an inside view, with drawings by Fred Pegram, a popular English artist. These articles, with an unusually good Anglo-Indian story and other delightful stories with English flavor, Stephen Phillips' fine poem "On the Coronation of King George the Fifth," Cardinal Gibbons' welcome essay on "Anglo-American Peace," make part only of this unusual and excellent number. CENTURY MAGAZINE 25 cents a copy, \$4.00 a year. At all book stores, or The Century Co., Union Square, New York