

# CLOSE OF SALMON CONTEST IS NEAR

### Recipes Should Be Submitted to Judges by Tonight, It Is Announced.

## BANQUET ATTRACTS MANY

Accommodation for More Than 350 Persons Provided in Dining-Room of Commercial Club—Tickets Selling Rapidly.

### PRIZES TO BE GIVEN FOR BEST SALMON RECIPES—CONTEST CLOSES TONIGHT.

- First prize, one case Columbia River one-pound flat chinook.
- Second prize, one case one-pound flat Oregon red salmon.
- Third prize, one case half-pound flat chinook salmon.
- Fourth prize, one dozen chinook tails salmon.
- Fifth prize, one dozen Oregon red tail salmon.
- Sixth prize, one dozen half-pound Oregon red salmon.

Six clever women of the Northwest are going to win six valuable prizes for the six best salmon recipes next Friday night.

Incidental to the celebration of "Salmon Day" on Friday the salmon packers of Oregon and Washington have decided to give these valuable prizes for the best recipes involving the use of canned salmon. Already the women are sending their entries to The Oregonian, in accordance with the terms of the contest. They should be addressed, "Salmon Recipe Contest" and be in this office not later than this evening, so that judging may begin. The judging, which will be done by a competent committee, will be completed so that announcement of the successful contestants can be made at the banquet Friday evening.

This banquet promises to be a remarkable affair. It will be novel and original, inasmuch as it will provide several popular uses of canned salmon. The menu, however, will not call for salmon exclusively. Many other appetizing and nourishing dishes will be served.

**Many Buy Tickets.**  
Accommodations for more than 350 persons have been provided in the big dining-room of the Commercial Club. It is probable that every seat will be filled. Tickets are selling rapidly. The price has been reduced to \$1 a plate. Women will be welcome guests. Nearly all the men purchasing tickets have bought for the feminine members of their families also.

This will be a banquet at which eating rather than speaking will be the dominant feature. Of course, there will be some speaking, but the length of the speeches will be limited. About ten prominent residents of the state will tell of the worth and the value of the salmon industry, but none will consume more than ten minutes in the telling. A surprise is in store also for the banqueters. W. C. McBride, chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements says he won't tell anything about it until the banquet members gather. Then they can see for themselves. Associated with Mr. McBride in preparing for the proper celebration of "Salmon Day" are Russell Stanley, S. J. H. French, E. M. Burns and V. Klister, all members of the Transportation Club, which has taken the initiative in the matter.

**Cars to Be Stocked.**  
The railroads, too, have given substantial recognition to the enterprise. C. Morrison, head of the O.-W. E. & N. Company's commissary department, has arranged to stock every dining-car of the system with an ample supply of canned salmon for use on "Salmon Day." It will be served to every dining-car patron.

The North Bank road and the Southern Pacific likewise are making elaborate preparations. The Northern Pacific likewise has featured salmon on its bills of fare and will give it particular emphasis on this occasion. On the Milwaukee system salmon will be served free to every dining-car patron.

Retail grocers in Portland are making handsome displays of canned and fresh salmon in their windows. A delegation of their number will attend the banquet.

## OLSON FILES DECLARATION

Aspirant for Municipal Judge Has as Slogan: "Help the Victim."

"Help the victim" is part of the slogan selected by Fred H. Olson, who filed with the city auditor yesterday his declaration of intention to become a candidate for the office of Municipal Judge. He makes his announcement to the Republican electors and looks to a nomination by that party.

"I positively will exercise my authority to protect society against law violators," says the ballot statement he has prepared, "and having done this, I shall endeavor consistently to use my judicial discretion in behalf of the unfortunate. For the many blessings enjoyed by me, I shall labor insistently for those who are less fortunate. No undesirable shall be allowed to prey upon the poor victim in court, and all individuals who frequent the court shall be made to feel that they are in the wrong paw unless they come to help in the great and good cause of uplift."

## JEFERSON MYERS IN CITY

Portland Attorney and Bride Reach Here on Rose City.

Jefferson Myers, a Portland attorney, arrived in Portland with his bride on the steamer Rose City and is at the Imperial.

## PORTLAND SONGSTRESS WHO HAS BEEN ENGAGED TO APPEAR AT EMPRESS THEATER FOR WEEK AS HEADLINER.



MRS. ELFRIEDA HELLER WEINSTEIN.

## STAGE GETS ARTIST

Elfrieda Heller Weinstein to Appear at Empress.

## MONDAY WILL BE DEBUT

For 22 Performances at Popular Vaudeville House Portland Songstress Is to Be Heard. Success Career Told.

Vaudeville has won another Portland songstress. She is Elfrieda Heller Weinstein, who was engaged yesterday to appear for 22 performances at the Empress Theater, beginning with the matinee next Monday. Mrs. Weinstein was heard in private recitals recently, but her engagement at the Empress will mark her first public appearance since her return from Europe, where she went as the protegee of Madame Schuman Heink.

Considerable persuasion was brought to bear before Mrs. Weinstein would consent to appear in private recitals. She will headline the Empress poster in big type and the salary she is to receive as an artist booked by Schuman Heink is said to be near the top-notch figure paid regularly booked Broadway feature artists.

After occupying important church positions in Baltimore, Md., San Francisco and Portland, Mrs. Weinstein went abroad to coach under the noted Frank King Clark, of Berlin, and Professor Auerbach, of Berlin, Madame Schuman Heink, through Madame Schuman Heink, she was offered an engagement as first dramatic soprano in Breslau. Then she sang for Director Gregor of the Vienna Opera-house, and was offered an engagement by him, but the call of the West and home was so strong Mrs. Weinstein preferred to return to Portland to resume concert work and teaching.

## BABY HOME TAKEN OVER

## NEW ASSOCIATION RELIEVES OLD STOCK CORPORATION.

Officers for 1913 Are Chosen and Report for Last Year's Work Shows City's Demands Met.

The old stockholders' corporation of the Baby Home that has been in existence for the past 24 years has been dissolved and the property and affairs have been turned over to the new association organized under the law governing charitable associations.

## REPUBLICAN MAJORITY CANDIDATE CONFERS WITH PIONEER SUFFRAGIST.

Republican Mayorality Candidate Confers With Pioneer Suffragist.

## CIVIC NEEDS DISCUSSED

Veteran Worker for Ballot Says Time to Try for Commission Form Is Here—Women Urged to Take More Interest in Politics.

To become better acquainted in a personal way with Mrs. Abigail Scott Dunway, Gay Lombard, Republican candidate for Mayor, called upon her at her apartments in the Commercial yesterday afternoon and discussed municipal affairs in particular and phases of other subjects in a general manner. The interview lasted nearly two hours and Mrs. Dunway expressed herself as greatly pleased to meet him.

Mr. Lombard having always been an enthusiastic supporter of equal suffrage, and having been recently interested in the work which Mrs. Dunway has done in this connection especially, wished to become personally acquainted with her. He then expressed his campaign work at his office and elsewhere and "took the afternoon off" so to speak, and visited and chatted with the leader of the women in Oregon equal suffrage achievement.

"I have never enjoyed myself more in my life," said Mr. Lombard, after the interview was ended. "Mrs. Dunway certainly is a great woman. I have always admired her very much and I simply wanted to see her and get acquainted with her as a personal acquaintance. As I have always supported equal suffrage and am glad that it was successful in the last election, I felt that I would like to pay a visit to her and let her know of my appreciation of her work."

**Women Urged to Vote.**  
Mrs. Dunway, who has been ill for a long time, appeared as happy as a school girl. She was in the best of humor and throughout the interview displayed a keen interest in various features of city affairs, as discussed by Mr. Lombard and Mrs. Dunway. She felt that it is time to try commission government.

In regard to women registering, Mrs. Dunway expressed the hope that not only the women who favored equal suffrage, but also those who did not support it, will take advantage of the opportunity to cast the ballot and will not remain away from the registry or the polls.

"I think," she said, "that now we have the ballot, we all should make use of it. I believe the women of Portland are the best in the country, and together for good government; good government is what we all want, and we should unite for that. As to candidates, I will like the men—they will have their own ideas. I would let them have their choice, but we ought all to ask the question, 'Is the candidate morally fit to be the candidate for good government?'"

**Mayor Warned.**  
"I stand for good government," said Mr. Lombard, "and I am warning the people so far as lies within my power, that most depends upon the men that are to have charge of the city government. The men who are in the city government, bring about immediate revolution as to results; the men in office must bring this to pass."

"I would be glad to see you just as soon as the city officials can get it out," replied Mr. Lombard, "and I would be glad to see you just as soon as the city officials can get it out."

**Mayor Makes Appeal.**  
Mrs. Dunway was interested in Mrs. Lombard, who, she said, she had not seen since Mrs. Lombard was a little child, living at Hillsboro.

"She must come and see me soon," said Mrs. Dunway.

Mr. Lombard recalled some of her experiences in the bygone years, when, she said, "I used to be greeted by cabbage and other vegetables, and, occasionally, by a man who would not speak for equal suffrage. Doors were sometimes shut in my face, but I bear no one ill will and did not at the time."

"I am deeply interested in the parks and playgrounds problem," said the Mayor, "and I feel that it is a question in which the women of the city should participate to a great degree. Every woman should register, so that she will be in a position to take part in the various questions that are to be settled May 3 and June 2. It is of the greatest importance that Portland should have ample parks and playgrounds, so that it will be possible for the children to have proper places in which to obtain recreation. There is scarcely a question of greater moment to the city at this time, and I hope that the citizens will vote the proposed bond issue, so that we can arrange our park and playground system for the use of the boys and girls in Portland."

The park bond issue was among the items voted on at the last municipal special election, at which it was defeated by a big vote, at the same time as the commission charter. There were other things which lost at the time, in a general slaughter of measures carrying bonds.

Since that time the Park Board has arranged a map of its proposed expenditures for park and playground properties and this will be exhibited to the public before the election, so that it will be known to all where the Board members expect to spend the money, if it is voted by the people. It is believed by some that the lack of this information had much to do with the defeat of the proposed issue at that time.

Get the secret of Royal Bread-making of your dealer on Friday, March 14, and paste it in your cook-book. The secret will be baked into miniature loaves—one of which will accompany every loaf of Royal Bread bought on that day.

## There are a good many men who are right up-to-date

in all but one thing; they're behind the times in buying clothes, and they don't know it. They haven't discovered that for \$25 they can get ready, a suit of clothes that in fabrics, tailoring, style, and fit is quite the equal of anything their custom tailor can produce at \$40 or \$50.

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Commissioner, the State Commissioner of Horticulture and the district horticultural inspectors appointed by the commission, the State Oil Inspector, the State Fair Commission and part of the work now performed by the department of annual industry, the director of the experimental station and the State Chemist.

The office of Commissioner of Agriculture with a salary of \$4000 a year is created.

The bill was introduced and fathered by Senator Troy, of Jefferson County, from his over-night potatoes, and the portionment, a problem which deadlocked the 1911 Legislature, was tolled tonight when the Senate brought up a proposed reappropriation bill and attempted to put it through. The question precipitated a fight between the large counties, King, Pierce and Spokane and the "Cowlitz" counties, which caused the question to be put aside as hopeless. The last attempt this session to solve the knotty problem will be made Thursday morning as a special order of business.

flushed under his direction, was not the Lents dance, but a dance given at Gate Crossing. Sheriff Word visited the Lents dance, but evidently was satisfied with its management as he did not disturb it.

**CHARLES E. STONE DIES**  
ONE OF COAST'S BEST-KNOWN OPERATORS PASSES AWAY.

At Age of 55 Western Union Telegrapher Found Dead in Bed. Funeral Thursday Morning.

In the newspaper and the telegraph offices of Portland there is sadness over the death of Charles E. Stone, one of the best-known telegraph operators, in the United States, is gone. He died some time Monday night, for his body was found in bed at 10:30 a. m. on Tuesday morning.

Up to a few weeks ago he was at his post at the head of the Western Union branch in The Oregonian office. From there he was transferred to Chicago and later to other cities.

Meanwhile his father died and an only brother was killed in California. Stone brought his mother and only sister to Portland in 1894 and since then he had lived here almost continuously. The mother died about 12 years ago. His sister had two children, one died in infancy. Her husband also died, and for about ten years he resided with his sister. She died in January and since then Mr. Stone had almost no income. He was the last remaining member of the family, as he never had married.

He was known to every telegraph operator on the Coast and to the "old time" men in other parts of the country. Since coming to Portland he had been employed by the Western Union, and the Associated Press, except a brief time when he was with the Postal Telegraph. He and Alex Craig, one of the other operators in The Oregonian office, were a "team" almost inseparable. They had worked together for almost 20 years.

"It was with great sorrow that I learned of Charlie Stone's death," said W. A. Robb, manager of the Western Union office yesterday. "In his younger days he had, as an operator, visited all the large cities in this country and Canada, acquiring at first hand a familiarity with conditions and personal acquaintances in the different places that made him a valuable telegraph man and one of the most widely known."

Mr. Stone was a member of the Press Club and a former member of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club. The funeral will be held from Dunning & McEntee's funeral chapel Thursday morning at 10 o'clock.

**Lents Dancers Undisturbed.**  
The dance which was raided by Sheriff Word last Saturday night and pub-

troupe brought into Juvenile Court in response to many telephone messages that they were mere juveniles and were showing here without proper legal authority. After one look at the group which was ushered into his office Judge Gatens declared the trouble over. The youngest are boys 18 and 19 years of age.

One of the women against whom the complaint was chiefly directed said she is 32 years of age and the mother of a boy 9 years old. She is an expert on juvenile make-up, she explained, having been cast in such roles for years. Juvenile Court officers protested vigorously that the vaudeville acts were brought in for the purpose of "putting across" a press agent yarn. They declared that Mrs. Millie R. Trumbull had been one of the complainants.

**BILLY'S PLEA IS IGNORED**  
Prisoner Asks for 30 Days but is Awarded Three Times That.

Perennial Billy Stewart was in Police Court yesterday, scarcely recovered from his over-night potatoes, and the following colloquy took place between him and the judge:

"Drunk again, Billy?"

"I admit it, Mr. Taxwell, I don't deny it at all. I will not try to deceive you, Mr. Taxwell."

"The sentence will be—"

"Thirty days, Judge, make it 30, please sir."

"More than that, Billy; you've got more than that suspended already."

"Aw, go on, Judge, gimme 30; Summer here."

"Three times 30; that will be the order of the court."

"All right," said Billy, as he was led back to the box, giving a wink to his acquaintances in the courtroom. His "line of talk" had failed, but it was all the same to him.

**'KID'S' AGE ONLY 32 YEARS**  
Mother of 9-Year-Old Boy in Juvenile Court for Being on Stage.

A tribute to the ability along stagecraft lines of Menlo Moore's Lads and Lassies, who are putting on a "kid" act at the Parkages Theater this week, was paid yesterday when Circuit Judge Gatens had several members of the

## Carefully Investigate Player Pianos

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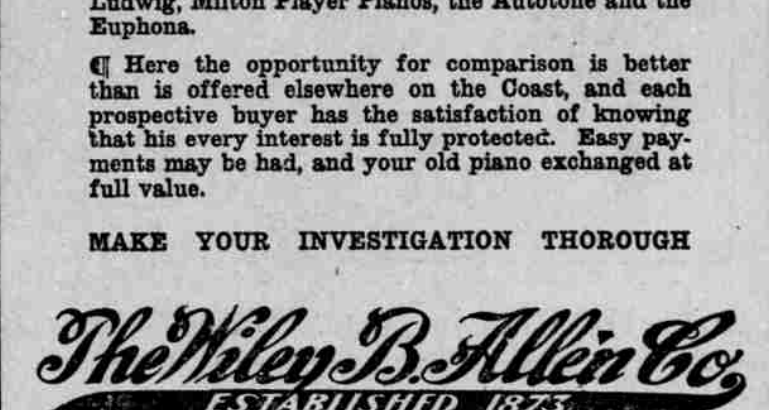
2d. Investigate the player action and know that it is not one of the freak products with which the market is flooded. Test it for volume, for delicacy; try it yourself and note whether it pedals easily. Then try the expression devices and see what YOU can accomplish in real musical expression.

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Washington Public Service Commission to Be Asked to Act.

John B. Coffey, receiver of the Northwestern Long-Distance Telephone Company, and Jay Bowerman, his attorney, left for Olympia last night to lay before the Public Service Commission of Washington a written request for an investigation of what they term the "choking" of the long-distance business of the Northwestern Company by Bell companies, with which it has connections in Seattle and Tacoma and other Washington cities.

In their petition they state that unreasonable rules and regulations have been made to divert business from them, and they ask an opportunity to present evidence of the truth of their charges with a view to having the Public Service Commission curb the Bell companies, among which are mentioned the Sunset Telephone & Telegraph Company and the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company.

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