PERSONAL MENTION

Charles Gray is in the city.

R. W. Carlyle is here from Tacoma.

Ben W. Reed is in the city from Rainier.

H. T. Findlay arrived down on last night's train.

Chas. T. Wilder a citizen of Rainier is in the city.

Miss S. E. Baum of Rainier spent yesterday in the city.

Al Dawson and wife were in the city yesterday from Skipanon.

Pilot Commissioner Payne was in the city yesterday from Chinook.

Dr. W. B. Braden is registered at the Parker House from Portland.

Miss Augusta Nuraberg of the Walluski spent yesterday in the city.

Mrs. J. T. Ross returned yesterday from a short visit to the metropolis.

C. W. Fulton returned to the city last night from a brief visit to Portland

J. W. Cawker and wife were in the city yesterday from their home in Warrenton

Clark Loughery was a passenger on last night's train into the city from Portland.

Contractor C. L. Houston returned to the city last night from a brief trip to Portland.

Mrs. I. Lawler and Miss Kathleen Lawler arrived in the city from Portland last night.

H. H. Ingalls formerly of this city, but now a traveling man out of Portland, arrived in the city last night.

Swand Mork and August Wilson arrived from Alaska yesterday on board the steamer Homer and registered at the Parker House.

Geoge A. Lewis arrived in the city last night to attend the Elks' memorial exercises today. He will return to Portland tonight.

J. W. Belcher arrived in the city last night to take part in the Elks' memorial exercises to be held today. He is registered at the Occident.

FRENCH DEPUTIES HAVE WARM SESSION

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made an emphatic rejoiner. He closed with the assertion that Frederick Humbert had been a boulangist deputy Deputy Coulant, socialist, exclaimed that Minister Valles' statement was a lie. M. Syveton, a nationalist member, addressed the ministers with angry imprecations.

Two angry elements surged back and forward, exchanging blows with clenched fists fo several minutes. The president of the chamber called on M. Syveton and M. Coutant to apologize for their conduct. They refused and both were expelled and escorted out by the military.

M. Syveton said Valle was the aggreesor an dthat he had sent his seconds to the minister. The seconds of M. Syveton and Valle will make a final arrangement for a meeting of their principals Modnay.

TO SERVE FIFTEEN YEARS

Paul Underwood Sentenced for the Murder of Baby.

SEATTLE, Dec. 6.—This afternoon Judge Griffin denied the motion for a new trial in the case of Paul Underwood, who was convicted of the murder of his infant child and sentenced the prisoner to 15 years in the penitentiary.

The attorneys for the defense gave notice of an appeal to the supreme court.

CROPS FAIL

Farmers In Sweden Suffer Because of Cold Summer.

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 6.—Crops of the northern district in Sweden and in part of Dalecarlia have failed entirely, owing to the cold wet summer and collections are being made in all cities and towns for the relief of the sufferers.

EYE WORTH $10,000.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Ten thousand dollars is the value of an eye, according to a verdict for damages awarded by a jury in the Brooklyn supreme court in favor of Frederick H. Dittman. The plaintiff was employed by an electrical company and was injured by a broken bolt on the machinery.

RUSSIAN OFFICER NOT EXCUSED

PARIS, Dec. 6.—The Journal Francais says that Jean De Rydzewski will be prosecuted on the charge of homicide through imprudence for causing the death of Mrs. Ellen Gore.

LARGEST GUN IN THE WORLD

The new sixteen inch gun recently built for the U. S. government is the largest in the world. It is the most powerful weapon devised by man, and has taken years to construct. The best and most reliable medicine ever compounded is the famous Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, introduced over fifty years ago and containing only such ingredients as will be helpful to the entire system. It therefore commends itself to all persons suffering from sick headache, nervousness, insomania, indigestion, dyspepsia, chills or malaria, fever and ague. Be sure to give it a trial. It has never been known to fail and can therefore be relied on in your case. The genuine is for sale by all druggists and has our private stamp over the neck of the bottle.

ELKS NOTICE

All members of Astoria lodge No. 180 B. P. O. E. are requested to assemble at their hall at 2 o'clock today (Sunday) to prepare for the memorial services.

J. E. GRATKE, Exalted Ruler.
F. J. CARNEY, Secretary.

NOTICE

The Elks' memorial services will be held at Elks' hall in the Odd Fellows' building at 3 o'clock today, (Sunday). The public is invited to attend, but owing to the limited seating capacity of the hall children cannot be accommodated.

COMMITTEE.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the partnership firm of Griffin & Reed ,doing business under said firm name at the city of Astoria, Oregon, is this day dissolved by mutual agreement, Mr. A. S. Reed retiring and Mr. J. N. Griffin continuing the business. All accounts due the firm up to date must be paid to said J. N. Griffin, who assumes all the debts of the firm.

Dated at Astoria, Oregon, this 29th day of November, 1902.

JNO. N. GRIFFIN.
A. S. REED.

DO YOU SPEND YOUR HOLIDAYS IN PORTLAND?

If so, be sure and visit the Strain Tailoring Co., and The Hub, for your New Year's suit, overcoat, hats, shoes and furnishing goods.

We are the western agents for the uncalled-for tailor-made garments of the Royal Tailors, Lamm & Co., and many more of Chicago's high art tailers and our stock of uncalled-for garments in worsteds, broadcloth, tricots, cheviots, meltons, black clays, serges, and unfinished worsteds far exceeds anything in the clothing line to be seen in Portland.

Don't miss getting your choice of 2000 uncalled-for suits, worth from $20 to $50 selling from $7.50 up.

500 pairs of uncalled-for trousers worth from $5 to $7.50, for $2.50.

1000 pairs of uncalled-for trousers worth from $8 to $12.50 for $3.50.

800 uncalled-for vests worth from $2.50 to $6, for 50c.

Our stock of hats, shoes, and furnishing goods is complete and we guarantee the lowest price in the city.

Our tailoring department contains the finest line of winter suitings on the Pacific coast.

Suits and overcoats to order from $15 up.

Trousers to order from $5 up.

Remember that our motto is Satisfaction guaranteed or your money refunded.

THE STRAIN TAILORING COMPANY,
285 Washington street
THE HUB,
N. E. corner Third and Burnside sts., Portland, Oregon.

A DOZEN DIFFERENT WAYS

When the ordinary citizen intends to go east, or send for friends or relatives to come west, the choice of routes is a question that always bothers him. He wants to know if the same route he used once, some time ago, makes the same time, same connections, if the price is the same, if it costs the same to go east as it did to come west. Possibly he has heard or read of famous points of interest in the west or middle west that he overlooked on the trip he made. Did not see them because he had not time; did not know he could for the same money; did not know he could get a stopover. There are hundreds of questions he would have asked, many things he would have liked to have seen and many accommodations he could have enjoyed, only, he did not have the time to look into the subject, and it was too much bother anyway.

Here is a suggestion that will save you all that trouble, vexation and regret. The Illinois Central Railroad company runs east and south from St. Paul, Omaha and St. Louis, and north from New Orleans. At these points it connects with all the western trunk lines, and through them with all their western connections. The Illinois Central does not care which line you use in the west, northwest, central west or southwest, because it connects with all of them, and is absolutely impartial to all. All you have to do is to drop us a note ;tell us your destination and starting point. Is there anything in the whole glorious west that you want to see on the way? Mention it. We will arrange for it if it can be done. Perhaps you want a stopover. We will arrange that too, if it is possible for anyone to do it. Just make a suggestion as to the western line and we will elaborate it for you; tell you the time you should start, when you should arrive at your destination, what accommodations you will enjoy, what it will cost you, an itinerary for the trip, and will do everything we possibly can to make your journey pleasant and comfortable. That's what we are here for. We have headquarters in Portland; agents in Portland and Seattle and traveling agents that will come and talk it over with you at any time and at any place in the northwest without its costing you a cent more than a postage stamp. Chicago business is a specialty with us, but we have our own rails in a dozen different states east of St. Paul, Omaha and New Orleans, and can ticket you to these gateways over a dozen different routes. Write us. By the way, do you want a nice wall map of the United States, Cuba and Porto Rico. Send me six cents to pay postage. D. R. Trumbull, Commercial Agent, Illinois Central R. R., 142 Third street, Portland, Ore.

NEW TODAY

You will find the best 15c meal in the city at the Rising Sun Restaurant.

WANTED 5 YOUNG MEN from Astoria to at once prepare for Positions in the Government Service. Apply to Inter-State Corres. Inst. Cedar Rapids, Ia.

Rosyln coal lasts longer, is cleaner and makes less trouble with stoves and chimney flues than any other coal on the market. George. W. Sanborn, agent. Telephone 1311.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Columbia River Packers' association will be held at the office of the company, at Astoria, Ore., on December 8, 1902, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing directors, and for such other business as may properly be considered. By order of the president.

GEO. H. GEORGE, Secretary.

Everything made of leather would last three times as long, be stronger, keep shape, and be soft and clean and pleasant to touch, if oiled as it ought to be, with Vacum Leather Oil—For sale by Fisher Bros.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Republican Ticket

For City Attorney
F. D. WINTON.

Councilman, First Ward
R. M. LEATHERS.

Councilmen, Second Ward
JAMES W. WELCH
JAMES J. ROBINSON.

Councilman, Third Ward
C. A. LEINENWEBER.

VOTE FOR—
ALBERT M. SMITH
Citizen-Labor Union Candidate for City Attorney.

VOTE FOR—
JOHN SVENSON
Citizen-Labor Union Candidate for Councilman in Second Ward

VOTE FOR—
GEORGE KABOTH
Citizen-Labor Union Candidate for Councilman in First Ward

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

Astoria National Bank

at Astoria, in the state of Oregon, at the close of business, November 25, 1902:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$247,967 86
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		2,098 06
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		12,500 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		1,250 00
Stocks, securities, etc.		49,908 28
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures		3,833 01
Other real estate owned		9,955 00
Due from National banks (not reserve agents)		4 27
Due from state banks and bankers		1,191 25
Due from approved reserve agents		157,524 02
Internal-revenue stamps		372 02
Checks and other cash items		4,008 63
Notes of other National banks		455 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		1,223 19
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$63,122 35	
Legal-tender notes	1,987 00	65,109 35
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 percent of circulation)		625 00
Total		$558,624 94

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 50,000 00
Surplus fund		10,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		10,254 20
National Bank notes outstanding		12,500 00
Due to state banks and bankers		5 33
Individual deposits subject to check	$211,735 99	
Demand certificates of deposit	104,209 86	
Time certificates of deposit	159,919 47	475,865 32
Total		$558,624 94

State of Oregon, county of Clatsop, ss:

I, J. E. Higgins, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. E. HIGGINS, Cashier.

Correct Attest:
GEO. H. GEORGE,
WM. H. BARKER,
A. SCHERNECKAU,
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of November, 1902.

GEO. C. FULTON,
Notary Public.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, Sept. 27, 1902.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory,"

SAMUEL DERR,

of Montavilla, County of Multnomah, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 5912 ,for the purchase of the SW¼ of section No. 27 in township No. 4 N range No. 10 W and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 10th day of December, 1902.

He names as witnesses: B. J. Sanford, James Bloss, Albert Luikart, and George Clark, all of Montavilla, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 10th day of December, 1902.

CHAS. B. MOORES,
9-30-10-5 Register.