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WAS AFTER THE MASTER

Portland Lawyer Tried to Hold the Schooner Manila, but Failed in the Attempt.

VESSEL WENT EARLY TO SEA

Portland Medical Concern Had Claim Against Captain Rose, But Warrant Was Not Served Upon Him.

The four-masted schooner Manila sailed early Sunday morning for San Pedro, and thereby hangs a tale. Saturday night Sheriff Linville received a telephone message from Portland to the effect that a warrant for the arrest of Captain Louis M. Rose had been issued there, and that the sheriff would be requested to serve it. The vessel was expected down the river Saturday night, but she did not get down until Sunday morning. She proceeded at once to the mouth of the river, where she was lying at anchor when Deputy Sheriff Binder, accompanied by the lawyer representing the Portland parties, sought to make service.

Captain Rose's wife had been at a Portland sanitarium for treatment, and the medical institution had a claim against him for \$249.20. The warrant issued for the arrest of the master charged him with being an absconding debtor. Just why the warrant was not served at Portland is a mystery which has not been explained, and it is the opinion of the local authorities that the efforts of the claimants were directed toward detention of the schooner. Deputy Sheriff Binder informed the lawyer that he would be able to serve the warrant if a launch were chartered to take him to the lower harbor, but the attorney was not anxious to incur the expense, so the schooner sailed away. Mrs. Rose is aboard the vessel and will make the trip to San Pedro. The lawyer said he would seek to collect the amount upon the return of Captain Rose at some future date.

SINGING ON THE WATERFRONT.

Longshoremen's Pastime Constitutes Offense of Disorderly Conduct.

Among the unfortunates who graced the dock in the police court yesterday afternoon were four longshoremen. One had only recently come over from Warrenton, while the others are recent arrivals in the city. They were arrested Saturday night for singing and were found in an old building on Seventh street just north of Astor.

It seems that some of the waterfront habits take this means of enjoying themselves about once a week. Saturday afternoon they receive their pay, settle their bills, and with the slender sum remaining "rush the growler" and sing the songs of the rolling sea. As to whether or not it is possible to disturb the peace and quiet of the city at a location on Seventh street north of Astor there is grave question, even among the city authorities. The nearby residents are not particularly delicate of health, and it can be further said of them that they do not retire early. But when the police heard the songs of the celebrants they swooped down upon them and forthwith marched the quartet to the municipal detention place.

The hapless fellows were kept in jail until yesterday afternoon, when they were brought before Judge Anderson. They were indignant at having been arrested, and were not willing to enter pleas of guilty to charges of drunkenness and disorderly conduct unless convinced that singing was a crime. The ordinance governing the matter is explicit in stating that boisterous singing of oaths, 2600 sacks of wheat and 300,000 feet of lumber.

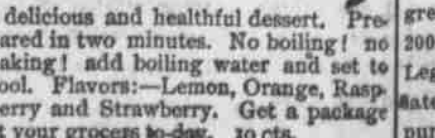
The steamship Columbia departed yesterday for San Francisco. Her cargo is not permissible. Judge Anderson told the prisoners he would allow them their liberty this time, but cautioned them to hereafter be less noisy.

Marine Notes.

The schooner Manila, which departed

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

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Sunday for San Pedro, took 805,954 feet of lumber and \$4,400 lath.

A four-masted schooner, supposed to be the William F. Witmann, arrived last evening.

The Vosburg departed Sunday for Tillamook and Nehalem. She will bring back a raft of logs.

The steamer Grace Dollar, which departed Saturday for San Pedro, took 480,000 feet of lumber.

The steamer Aurelia departed Sunday for San Francisco. She had 4000 sacks was made up of flour, potatoes, etc. from Portland, and shooks, oysters, net floats and miscellaneous stuff from Astoria. Leaving Portland the Columbia ran into the steel bridge, smashing in a plate. Repairs will be made at San Francisco.

The quartermaster steamer Major Guy Howard returned Sunday night from Vancouver, where she went with a party of men from the nearby posts who took part in the field meet. She came down from Portland in six hours and 45 minutes, which is probably the best run ever made by a steamer her size.

TO REVIVE RACING.

New Jersey Men Interested in Planning Model Running Meet.

New York, May 23.—Efforts to revive running turf races in New Jersey are now being made by men prominent in racing circles. Preliminary steps in the matter have already been taken through the purchase of a large tract of land near Atlantic City. There it is planned to lay out an extensive racing plant modelled on the lines of Morris park. Several well known New Jersey capitalists are interested in the scheme, which will be headed by men prominent in the affairs of the Queens County Jockey Club track at Aqueduct, L. I.

Attorneys are now drafting bills to be presented to the next New Jersey legislature legalizing horse racing in the state. The bill provides for the encouragement of contests of speed between thoroughbreds of the highest class, the prohibition of races run on a track less than one mile in circumference, and a tax on all racing association funds accruing from that sport to be paid into the state treasury. A certain percentage of the tax will go to the promotion of county fairs. No winter racing will be permitted. Legalized racing will be allowed only between April 15 and November 1.

CALLED "MORMON TRICK."

Reed-Smoot Inquiry Receives Sarcastic Hammering in Chicago.

Chicago, May 23.—The Reed Smoot inquiry has been branded as a "Mormon trick" by John Merritt Driver, speaking in the People's church pulpit. According to Dr. Driver the Mormons sought an investigation by the senate, their object being to gain publicity that would bring their doctrines before the people.

"The wiles of the Mormons are many and far-reaching," said Dr. Driver. The Smoot case was only a ruse. President Smith was not a reluctant witness. His testimony was along carefully considered and predetermined lines. With the Mormons it was a campaign of education and familiarization.

GOING TO THE FAIR?

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FAMOUS HORSE DEAD.

Ormonde Killed to Relieve Suffering from Paralysis.
San Francisco, May 23.—Ormonde, the world famous horse, is dead. He was killed at the Menlo park stock farm of W. O'B. Macdonough to relieve great suffering from paralysis.

Ormonde, who was foaled in 1883, was the son of Ben D'Or-Lily Agnes, bred and owned by the duke of Westminster and won every race that he started in and earned for his owner in stakes the sum of \$142,325. He also had the distinction of winning all three of the great events of the British turf—the 2000 guinea, the derby and the St. Leger. He was eventually sold to his late owner for \$150,000 for breeding purposes.

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Notice to Contractors.

Proposals will be received by the Astoria Water Commission until 2 p. m. on June 2, 1904, for the construction of a Stone Retaining Wall at Sixteenth street and Irving avenue, Astoria, Oregon. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the Water Commission, 501 Duane street. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.
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