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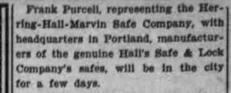
At the regular meeting of Beaver lodge, No. 35, I. O. O. F., held last the Kerney block, evening, there were two initiations and two members were given the third degree. The annual election was also held, resulting as follows: Noble Jones; secretary, Olof Anderson; treasurer, C. S. Wright.

Mrs. Hubert Ferris of Portland is in the city, visiting with her cousin, Mrs. Jennie Busey.

Complaints have been lodged with the police department against boys playing ball and breaking windows. The officers will take the matter in hand and see that the youngsters de-

to the Cohen flat, on Exchange between Tenth and Eleventh, where she will reside with her family in the future. Her office will be as before, in

A man named Watson, who was conducting a certain stud poker game in a popular resort, arose from the table grand, L. O. Belland; vice grand, and stated that he was going to lunch. So far he has neglected to return, and the game is just \$35.50 shy.



J. C. Westland is the latest fisherman to be added to the list of those who have been forced to take a sudden ducking within the past three weeks Yesterday Westland went overboard while fishing, but was promptly fished out by his helper.

J. A. Bamford, a Portland business man, will address a young peoples' rally at the Methodist church tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock on the subject of local option. The Epworth League earnestly invites the attendance of all, young or old, at this service.

Chief of Police Hallock was pleasantly surprised yesterday by receiving from his sister, Mrs. Cotter of Portland, a basket of beautiful roses. Like many other residents of the metropolis, Mrs. Cotter is a passionate lover of roses and has a fine collection.

Several of the residents of East Astoria are making a strenuous effort to beautify their part of the city, and the good work is to be commended Yards are being put in shape, flowers are being planted and the streets are being cleaned in the places where a cleaning is most needed.

E. O. Dickinson and A. V. Allen, jr. have opened a tailoring establishment at 430 Commercial street, and are prepared to furnish the very best of clothing to the gentlemen of Astoria. It will be the aim of Messrs. Dickinson & Allen to carry constantly in stock samples of the very latest creations in the way of fine clothing and to give satisfaction at all times.

Don't forget to reserve your seat this morning for the opening performance of the Empire Stock Company at Fisher's opera house next Monday. "Capital Vs. Labor," a great comedy drama will be the bill. No doubt a large audience will be present and an enjoyable evening will be the result. Secure your seats as early as possible and escape a rush at the door. The prices are reasonable, being only 25 and 35 cents.

A fisherman named Andrew Peterson yesterday found a badly decomposed body at the mouth of Skamokawa creek. The body was devoid of clothing except for trousers and its appearance indicated that it was the corpse of one of the Japanese who sought to escape from the oriental liners some weeks ago, and all of whom are believed to have perished. The coroner of Wahkiakum county took charge of the body.

Reuben Neer was yesterday held for trial in the circuit court, and his bail fixed at \$500. In default of the sum he was sent to jail. The man is charged with larceny, having stolen two watches and a sum of money from a Grays river logging camp. Notwithstanding the fact Neer's crime was committed in Washington, he can be tried here for the offense under the current law in vogue in both states enacted to cover just such cases as

The regular meeting of the water commission was held last evening, Besides transacting routine business the commission opened bids for the construction of a retaining wall on Sixteenth street. The commission finally decided to have the plans passed upon by Mr. Grondahl, who will be in the city on the 8th. Pending the report of Mr. Grondahl the tenders will not be made public. The commission also arranged to pay the semi-annual interest, amounting to \$8000.

The county court yesterday adjourned until the 8th inst, when Mr. Grondahl, Architect Lazarus' assistant, will be in the city to confer with the court regarding the foundation for the new county building. Since the opening of the bids the court has received word that Mr. Grondahl would be here on the 8th, and pending his arrival the matter will be allowed to stand. The probabilities are the court will ask for offers for piling foundation, which is regarded as much the better quality of work.

A treat is in store for all lovers of Shakespeare in this city, as a lecture on that most interesting play, "King Lear," is to be delivered by the Rev. H. H. Gower, rector of Trinity church Seatle, next Tuesday evening, June 7 in the Sunday school room of Grace church. The lecture is to be given under the auspices of the Young Men's Brotherhood of the church, and the well-known ability of the lecurer insures a good attendance. Tickets at 50 cents may be procured from any member of the brotherhood. Seldom

sued a marriage license to John H. Bell and Miss Josie Hanson both of

Forty-four Sacramento river fishermen arrived on the steamhslp Elder yesterday. In all about 150 have arrived here to fish during the year.

if ever has such a high-grade lecture been delivered in this city at such a modest figure, but Mr. Gower is interested in brotherhood work and manifests it in this practical and instruc tive way.

A meeting of the Cigar & Liquo Dealers' Asociation was held yesterday afternoon at the city hall. The meeting was addressed by John E Kelly and J. C. Dawson of Portland, who are out against the local option

At yesterday's session of the county court a contract was awarded to C. W Carnahan for grading and graveling 4000 feet of the Elk creek road and building a bridge over Muddy creek The contract price was \$2400. Several other road matters were attended to during the day.

Commander Wright of Cushing post, G. A. R., yesterday received word that the war department had agreed to allow the post the use of 40 condemned 15-inch shells for the purpose of decorating the G. A. R. plot at Oceanview. The department's decision was due to a request filed by Senator Fulton. The shells are at Fort Canby, and they will be delivered at the cemetery by the government.

The records of Weather Observer Masters for the month of May show that the rainfall was only 1.32 inches, the smallest for many months. There were 16 clear days, which is likewise a remarkable circumstance, 15 cloudy days and but nine rainy days. The 25th was the warmest day, the glass having then registered 67, while the coldest day was the 10th, when the thermometer dropped to 40.

Both of the political parties will tonight bring to a close their county and state campaigns in Astoria. The republicans will hold forth at Fishers' opera house, where Senator Fulton is to discourse, and the democrats will make their final stand in the west end. The democratic rally will be concluded with a dance. The campaign has been an unusually quiet one, and the work carried on with little flourish of trumpets. Some money has been wagered on the result, bettors finding the contest for the office of sheriff the most alluring chance offered.

The annual convention of the longshoremen's union will convene in this city next Monday morning. The sessions of the union will be held at Carnahan hall, and will be begun at 10 o'clock. President Sayre of the Astoria union stated yesterday that 46 delegates, perhaps more, would be here, and added that the convention would be one of the most important ever held by the longshoremen. Just what matters are to be brought before the convention for action does not appear from the statement of the president of the local union, who contented himself with the mere asertion that the gathering would be of the utmost importance to members of the longshoremen's organization.

Final examinations were yesterday

begun in all of the city schools, and will continue for about a week. There are about 1375 pupils enrolled, but, as many have passed on honor, not all of them will take the examinations. The high school graduating class will be made up of 11 students, as follows: Signey Baker, Selma Norberg, Sallie Gray, Frances Norberg, Ellen Nowlen, Helga Erickson, Ethel Gerding, Mervyn Lounsberry, Will Barker, Prescott Wright and Otto Erickson. The star high school student is Miss Frances Norberg, who has passed on honor for four years, and who graduates from the high school with an average of 91.3. Professor Clark and the other instructors are very proud of Miss Norberg's fine record. The term now closing has been one of the most successful in the history of the schools of the city. In the grammar grades those pupils pass on honor who maintain an average of 85 per cent, are not tardy and absent from school during the term not to exceed five days. In the high school a daily average of 87 per cent must be ma'ntained, but a student can not pass on honor if he is absent more than three days. The high school examinations will probably be concluded on Thursday morning, and the grammar grade examinations on the same day. The results will be made known immediately.

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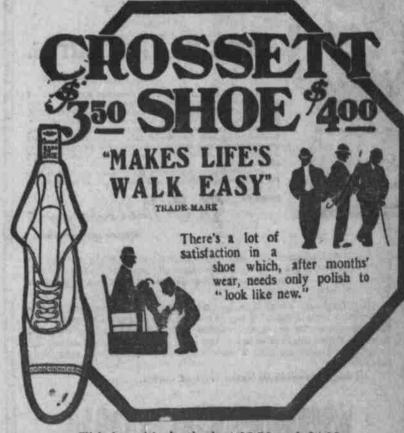
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