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Local Brevities.

Baseball this afternoon at A. F. C. park—Commercial vs. Portland. Game called at 3:30.

The engagement of Mr. W. A. Sherman of this city to Miss Florence Lussey of San Francisco has been announced. The wedding will occur in San Francisco June 21.

Frank Hoffman, who made a brutal attack on Mrs. Johns, an aged lady, a couple of years ago at Cathlamet, has just been found guilty and sentenced to five years' imprisonment. Hoffman became enraged at Mrs. Johns because she protected his wife against his brutal attacks, and beat the old woman terribly.

The fish run has been very small for the past few days, but some large ones are being caught. One was delivered to the Warren cannery yesterday that weighed over 72 pounds.

The Alumni of the Astoria High School gave their annual banquet last evening at the Occident hotel. At the business meeting preceding the banquet the new graduates were taken into the association. The event was a very enjoyable one throughout.

The steamer Bailey Gatzert has an innovation in the shape of lady waiters and cabin boys—we mean girls. The members of the sterner sex who recently acted in that capacity have been granted their walking papers, and ladies have been engaged to take their places.

The regular meeting of the Astoria Chamber of Commerce will be held tomorrow evening. The meeting will be an important one and a full attendance of members is desired.

Judge McBride will convene the circuit court in session on Monday, June 20, and not on the 26th, as was erroneously stated yesterday in these columns.

County Clerk Clinton yesterday issued a marriage license to two Chinese residents, Lee Fook, aged 40, and Leong She, aged 22. This is the first marriage license issued to Chinese for some time. The couple were married by Justice Goodman.

The council will meet in adjourned session tomorrow evening. Several street matters are to be acted upon, and the council will also consider the city hall proposal. There has been so much sentiment in favor of the purchase of the Flavel brick that some action looking to this end may be taken. As heretofore stated, however, there is little probability of the council accepting the offer of Captain Flavel, as a majority of the members have already declared themselves in favor of constructing the new building.

The rose show given last night by the Woman's Club at the A. O. U. W. hall was a great success, and the ladies added materially to their purses as well as to their pleasure. The attendance was very good and the several booths were overrun with purchasers. The entertainment was one of the most attractive of its kind ever given in Astoria, and the ladies are to be congratulated on their success. The proceeds will go to the civic improvement fund. A musical program was rendered and a phonographic concert helped to make the event a pleasing one.

The following officers have been nominated by the Central Labor Council of this city: President, Fred Bowers, of the cooks and waiters' union; vice president, William Ross, of the clerks' union; recording and corresponding secretary, H. B. Cornell, of the clerks' union; financial secretary, H. M. Lorntzen, of the fishermen's union; guide, ~~John Thayer~~; treasurer, John Thayer, of the longshoremen's union. The election will take place at the next regular meeting.

The date for the convention of delegates from the city schools that will choose a goddess of liberty for the Fourth of July celebration has been fixed as June 18. The call, which was issued yesterday, provides that the convention shall meet at 2 o'clock on the afternoon of next Saturday. Apart from the election of the goddess of liberty, the convention will select young ladies to represent each of the different states. All of the city schools and the Convent of the Holy Names will be represented.

Knute Iverson, a resident of the East End, yesterday filed with Auditor Anderson a protest against the manner in which the Franklin avenue improvement is being made. Mr. Iverson owns lot 8, block 34, Adair's Asoria, at the southeast corner of Thirty-seventh and Franklin avenue, and he claims that the lot is being cut away by the workmen employed on the street. He says he has spoken to the foreman of the gang about the matter, but that no attention has been paid to his protest. He asks the council to require the contractor to make the improvement in such manner that the lot will not further be damaged.

The following is a list of the grammar school graduates for the city for the term ending June 10: Nellie Wilson, Mabel Larsen, Ruby Bremner, Annie Settem, Myrtle Shabour, Nelly Larson, George Knudsen, Agnes Peterson, Hazel Estes, Myrtle Hansen, Henry Skibbe, Minnie Hofman, Margaret Taylor, Ella Anderson, Ernest Hood, Oma Anstadt, Christine Jacobsen, Grace Davies, Fred Wilson, Edith Davies, Allen Hughes, Ella Gamble, Doble Hammerstrom, Ella Larson, Jeanie Bradford, Ina Manula, John Camp, Gerhard Steffenson, Alf Hammerstrom, John Ostrom, Ethel McIntosh, Andrew Malagamba, Gertrude Knapp, Gerald McNahanna, Will Wilson, Jeanette Peterson, Edward Boentgen, Thorburn Ross.

The Commercial Club team meets a Portland nine that is made up of some well-known ball tossers, and a hard struggle is looked for. Chop Stockton is in California, and his position, left field, will be filled by Swep Morton. Ferguson will catch Tom Ross, while Flannigan will officiate at first, Roxy Graham at second, O'Toole at short and Brother Harry at third. Charles Halderman will attend to the center garden and Ross Trullinger to the right field. The visiting team is said to have a pitcher whose curves are

mystifying and an infield that will show up favorably with that of the Commercial. The game will be called at 2:30.

The police force is now rounding up all the vagrants in the city, and yesterday the second installment appeared in the police court. Charles Newstrom entered a plea of not guilty. The officers testified that the man had been begging liquor on Astor street, and that he had threatened to assassinate a bartender who refused to give him a drink. Newstrom set up the contention that he had been working at the Tongue Point mill, and that he had been in town only a short time. Judge Anderson regarded him as a man whose presence here was not desirable, and a fine of \$40 was imposed. Sentence was suspended on condition that Newstrom leave town. Charles Elcamp and Thomas Burke, arrested for vagrancy, deposited \$20 bail each, and failed to appear. The bail was declared forfeited. Loren Wooley, arrested for vagrancy, entered a plea of not guilty. He showed that he had been doing some work during the past few weeks, but was unable to clear himself of the charge that he lived "in and about a house of ill repute." He was fined \$40, with the option of leaving the city.

Nate Anderson of the Nehalem came into the city yesterday for the purpose of securing road scrapers and 500 pounds of giant powder to be used in the improvement of the road, the right of way for which is now being cleared between Jewell and Vine Maple. The road district levied a 10-mill tax from which is raised \$1,800. This amount will not complete the entire road, but those interested state that it will clear the right of way and build the first two miles of the road, which is also estimated to be the most difficult of construction. Road Supervisor Jamison has the work in charge, and it is being done by day's labor. Mr. Anderson states that it is the intention to build a substantial road. The grades will not average over 5 per cent. When this piece of road is completed it will be one of the best in the county. The Nehalem valley now has a modern and well-conducted cheese factory, which brings considerable ready money into the district and has stimulated the interests in road improvement and stock-raising. The people of the Nehalem are waking up by realizing the importance of securing an outlet and supplying the markets with products they can raise in abundance.

Today's baseball game at A. F. C. park will doubtless prove the most exciting contest of the present season.

PERSONAL MENTION.

C. G. Palmberg was in Portland yesterday.

Mrs. H. C. Smith was in Portland yesterday.

Captain V. Boelling was in Portland yesterday.

Robert Linderberg was in Portland yesterday.

Editor Bohn of the Ilwaco Journal city yesterday.

John Moore was down from Portland yesterday.

R. M. Brayne of Casey was in the city yesterday.

Abner Meserve was over from Grays River yesterday.

Miss Mary Atkins of Olympia is visiting in the city.

Gerald Elbright of Seattle is visiting in the city.

J. E. Kilnt of Grays River was in Astoria yesterday.

J. C. Stone and wife of Portland are visiting in Astoria.

E. A. Keith of St. Louis is registered at the Occident.

Judge Nate Jones of Chadwell was in the city yesterday.

F. N. Libby of Portland is registered at the Occident.

Miss Florence Ross left yesterday for a visit in Knappa.

Miss Nell Munson of Arcola, Ill., is visiting in the city.

Sheriff Linville is visiting with his brother at Grays River.

Mrs. G. W. Lounsbury left for Portland yesterday morning.

W. M. Bray of Portland was in the city yesterday.

H. F. Edwards of San Francisco is registered at the Occident.

Mrs. E. W. Smith, who has been visiting in this city for some time, left yesterday for her home in Hamilton, N. Y.

W. J. Clemens, Portland's popular insurance man, was in the city yesterday for a few hours on his way to Seaside.

H. C. Rice, representative of the Hershey Chocolate Company, made a business call to Astoria yesterday.

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