

JUDGE GETS GOLD WATCH

Olof Anderson Wins the Prize Hung Up for the Most Popular Official.

SILK FLAG FOR THE REDMEN

Results of Other Contests at Catholic Ladies' Fair, Which Came to Successful Close Last Night.

The four days' fair given by the ladies of St. Mary's Catholic church came to a close shortly before midnight last night, and all who attended it was pronounced one of the most successful events of the kind ever held in the city.

It would be difficult to say which contest proved the most interesting. The officials' contest developed into a fight between Police Judge Anderson and Chief of Police Hallock, while the contest of the lodges for the lovely silk flag resulted in a tie between the Red Men and the Young Men's Institute.

Police Judge Anderson was voted the most popular official and the handsome gold watch goes to him. The friends of Chief of Police Hallock were out in force and made a very good showing, but the popular police judge carried off the honors.

The lodge contest resulted in a struggle between the Red Men and the Y. M. I. The last-named organization, being Catholic, withdrew in favor of the Red Men, and the silk flag became the property of the order.

Miss Annie O'Neil won the prize offered for the most popular school teacher, her plurality being 79. The result of this contest was anxiously awaited. The vote was as follows: Miss O'Neil, 261; Mrs. McCormick, 182;

Miss Sinnott, 29; Miss Morgan, 5; Miss Shively, 3; Miss Blinn, 3; Professor Stupp, 3; Miss Radollet, 3; Mrs. Busey, 2; Mrs. Fulton, 2.

James Kearney won the boys' contest after some spirited balloting. The vote was: James Kearney, 444; J. Belan, 357; Albert Gruski, 104; Freddie Johnson, 85; R. Kinkella, 82 1/2; W. Wilson, 20; Sylvester Clark, 3.

ONE YEAR FOR MULLIGAN.

Pleads Guilty to Larceny and Receives Minimum Sentence.

Fletcher S. Mulligan, a tailor, was yesterday sentenced to one year in the penitentiary for larceny. Mulligan had been employed by Dickinson & Allen and carried off several suit patterns. He was arrested and confined in the county jail, in default of \$100 bail.

PERSONAL MENTION.

James Titters, of Fern Hill, is in the city.

C. A. Paulsen, of Minneapolis, is in the city.

M. E. Stewart, of Seattle, is at the Occident.

E. C. Alexander was over from Chiloock yesterday.

George S. Taylor was down from Portland yesterday.

G. C. Monroe and mother are registered at the Occident.

J. Douglas, of Warrenton, is spending Sunday in the city.

Captain R. F. Gardiner was in the city yesterday from Fort Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. McGowan, of McGowan, are spending a few days in the city.

Mrs. Fred Colbert, Mrs. Powell and Miss Belle Bucke, of Ilwaco, are visiting in Astoria.

J. S. Home, representing the Pioneer Shirtwaist Company, of Portland, is at the Nehalem house.

United States Senator Fulton returned home last night from a tour of southern Oregon counties.

Lieutenant and Mrs. B. F. Kerfoot and Mrs. Turner, of Fort Columbia, were shopping in the city yesterday.

J. S. Dellinger and W. W. Ridehaigh will be passengers on the steamer Sue H. Elmore for Tillamook this morning.

Dr. W. B. Hollingshead, a former pastor and now presiding elder, will occupy the pulpit of the Methodist Episcopal church tomorrow morning.

Mrs. P. A. Kearney, who returned home Friday from an extended eastern trip, visited her former home at St. John, N. B. She returned by way of Chicago, St. Louis and San Francisco, where she visited friends and relatives for several days. Mrs. Kearney says the world's fair is so magnificent as to baffle description.

WHO WILL BE FIRE CHIEF?

Decision of City Council at Meeting Tomorrow Night Regarded as Problematical.

DEMOCRAT MAY BE CHOSEN

W. J. Barry's Friends Claim He Has Enough Support to Win, While C. F. Foster Also Has Some Votes.

Who will be the next chief of the Astoria fire department?

This question has been asked many times during the past few days and there have been no definite answers. There are two avowed candidates for Chief Stockton's place—W. J. Barry and C. F. Foster—but whether or not one of those aspirants will be selected is problematical.

Mr. Barry's friends claim he will have five of the eight votes tomorrow night—Messrs. Bolland, Nordstrom, Lebeck, Kaboth and Hansen. On the other hand, Mr. Foster's friends claim a majority for him. This was the situation as the partisans of the two candidates stated it last night.

But the council is made up at present of five democrats and three republicans, and both Mr. Barry and Mr. Foster are reputed lifelong republicans. Last night the name of Fred W. Wright, former councilman from the Third ward, was sprung as a likely man for the place, and the democratic members of the council were urged to support him on political grounds.

The effort for the election of Mr. Wright is due purely to an effort on the part of democrats to put one of their own faith in the position. These democrats claim he is well fitted for the place, having long been active in the department, and that the democratic members of the council will support him. It is somewhat singular, but nevertheless quite true, that no democrats have petitioned for the place. Whenever there is any democratic patronage to dole out the dolers must hunt up men to accept the plums.

Last Week at Hedrick's.

Manager Hedrick promises the patrons of his pretty playhouse a rare treat in vaudeville before he commences the work of enlarging the theater. The work will be begun October 31, and while the building is being remodeled, the house will be closed. Mr. Hedrick has used every effort to procure the best talent in vaudeville, and he has used no unscrupulous means in securing the acts by permitting some other house to advertise them and then, by offering them a little more money to get them.

One can tell who is capable of getting the show by seeing it, and Hedrick's guarantees the very best talent that can be had on the coast. Durant and Baldwin, who come here next week with a musical act, are among

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Attention, Red Men.

All members of Concomly tribe. Improved Order of Red Men, are requested to meet at their hall tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock to attend the funeral of the late wife of our brother, Lee Herring. By order,

C. E. GAMMAL, Sachem.
C. E. FOSTER, Chief of Records.

Notice, F. O. E.

All members of Astoria aerie and sojourning Eagles are requested to attend the funeral of the wife of our brother, Lee Herring.

Services at K. of P. Hall at 2 p. m. HERMAN WISE, Worthy President.

A Love Letter.

Would not interest you if you're looking for a guaranteed salve for sores, burns or piles. Otto Dodd of Ponder, Mo., writes: "I suffered with an ugly sore for a year, but a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me. It's the best salve on earth. 25c at Chas.

Removal Notice.

Dr. J. A. Fulton has moved from his old office to rooms 4, 5 and 6 in the Star theater building, corner Eleventh and Commercial streets, on the second floor.

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