

CANNERS ORGANIZE

Eastern and Western Canners Favor Pure Food.

PRODUCTS TO BE INSPECTED

Decide on Campaign of Publicity—Public to Be Educated to Appreciate Wholesome Canned Food—Question of Prices Not to Be Touched Upon.

Pittsburg, March 21.—The National Association of Cannery & Packers of America, composed of members of the Western Canned Goods Association and the Atlantic States Packers' Association, completed its organization here today by the election of W. A. Rouse of Belair, Md., as chairman and W. C. Pressing of Pittsburg as secretary and treasurer. All that now remains is the signatures of the 1500 packers by whom the committee was appointed.

The signatures of more than 80 per cent of the packers is assured and it is thought that every packing house in the country will be in the organization within a few months. The association, with 80 per cent of the packers, will be ready to begin business as an organized body by April 1. The by-laws, which were adopted at today's session provide that the two old associations shall remain intact and not lose their identity.

Pittsburg will be the dividing line of the territory controlled; the members of the old Atlantic States Association operating east of Pittsburg, while the Western Canned Goods Association will operate in the west.

The constitution provides for a system of inspection. The inspectors shall examine the products of all members to ascertain that they are wholly pure. The association shall have an official stamp, which may be affixed to goods after they have passed inspection, and the public shall be kept informed that the stamp of the association guarantees the purity of the foods which have been thus approved.

The constitution provides that members must furnish heavy bonds to guarantee the purity and cleanliness of their products before their goods will be subject to inspection.

The members hope in this way gradually to force manufacturers of impure and adulterated canned goods from the market. All the members of the committee agreed that the matter of prices should never come under discussion in the association. Prices are to be fixed by individual concerns.

RIFLE AND REVOLVER.

Policemen Capture Bandits Wanted for Crime of Murder.

Chicago, March 21.—After a rifle and revolver battle in which one man was wounded, a band of policemen has succeeded in capturing John Nadolski, later identified as one of the three bandits wanted for the murder of Fritz Kruger in the hold-up of Abraham Rieger's saloon early Sunday morning. His companions escaped.

The capture was made in a lonely spot near Frank Papielinski's farmhouse, between the towns of Jefferson and Niles, where the three bandits had sought refuge. The owner of the place was arrested, with his 19-year-old daughter. His son, Frank Papielinski, Jr., escaped, after he had been shot in the back of the head by the police.

The police have finally secured a confession from Nadolski, which will disclose the identity of his two companions. Every precaution will be taken on the theory that the trio is a desperate band of inexperienced young men, as dangerous as were the car barn bandits.

UPRISING IN RUSSIA.

Recurrences and Extension of Agrarian Troubles Noted.

St. Petersburg, March 21.—Recurrences and extensions of the agrarian troubles in Russia are noted and near Libav workmen and peasants are making common cause. The Caucasian is already the scene of armed resistance to forces of the civil authority and in the region around Keff, where the peasants are increasingly bold, there has been many cases of violence. Labor leaders of the social revolutionist persuasion are plainly planning for a renewal of the strike, and have been serving notice by anonymous letters on guard officers here and officials in other cities. Another "Red Sunday" is threatened and considerable alarm is felt.

John L. Roland.

St. Louis, March 21.—John L. Roland, for many years prominent in St. Louis business circles, and a confederate veteran, is dead at his country home here. Mr. Roland was born in Ballington, Va., and leaves three daughters and two sons.

Steamer Reported.

Queenstown, March 21.—The British

steamer George Pyman today reported in latitude 46 and longitude 30 west, date is not given. She spoke the Scandinavian American liner Hecla with her steering gear disabled. The Hecla is bound from Copenhagen to New York.

Denied Again.

New York, March 21.—There have been no fatalities from bubonic plague and thus far only one case has been reported in Valparaiso de Chile, according to the Herald's advices from that city. The authorities are taking every step to prevent the plague spreading, and no fears are entertained on this score.

Earl and Fool.

New York, March 21.—The earl of Rosslyn has been married to Miss Anna Robinson quietly in London, so cables the correspondent there of the American. The bride is a native of Minneapolis, Minn., but has lived abroad for some years. She once appeared on the stage, but retired in 1901.

Bodies Recovered.

Thurmond, W. Va., March 21.—The search for the bodies of victims of the explosion of last Saturday in the Rush run and Ash fork mines continues. The bodies of 11 men composing the first rescue party have been recovered.

Out of Employment.

New York, March 21.—Over 3000 men have been thrown out of employment as the result of the shutting down of the Havemeyer sugar refinery in Brooklyn. No official explanation is given for the shutdown.

Coal for Russia.

London, March 21.—A correspondent at Aden of the Daily Mail reports 34 steamers laden with 100,000 tons of coal are waiting at Jibuti for the Russian fleet, which is expected there the end of this month.

CODFISH SCHOONER

Fishing for Codfish in the Arctic Glaciers.

HEMMED IN BY ICE GORGES

Climbed a Glacier in His Bare Feet to Keep His Blood in Circulation, and Was Compelled to Live on the Bait Intended for Catching Codfish.

Chicago, March 21.—A dispatch to the Tribune from San Francisco, Cal., says:

The codfish schooner Czarina, from Eagle Harbor, Alaska, has brought Frederick Martin, still suffering from three days and nights in an arctic prison, shut in by the raging sea on one side and sheer glaciers on the other.

Martin was placed in this dangerous position by a storm which overtook him while fishing off Eagle Harbor last April and which blew his dory ashore. A narrow beach between the sea and the glacier made a prison as hopeless as the bastille.

Notwithstanding his sufferings, and the apparent hopelessness of his position, Martin kept a diary, written hourly. It tells of his despair, his recourse to raw fish bait as food, after two days of starvation, his fight to keep blood moving by savagely beating his feet with the handle of a gaff, his final perseverance and his escape by climbing the glacier in his bare feet; how with a rope he lassoed the pinnacle of a rock for above him and then climbed up the cliff, clinging to the crevices with his bare feet. Then he ran across the frozen fields to a fishing station.

A Close Guess.

Editor Morning Astorian: In answer to the following problem in the Astorian I submit the following answer:

"A train is one mile long, starts from the depot at Astoria. The engine leaves the station and the conductor waits until the caboose comes when he jumps on the caboose and walks forward over the train. When the engine reaches Warrenton, a distance of five miles, the conductor steps off the engine. How far does the conductor ride and how far does he walk?" My answer is that the man walked one mile.

C. G. PALMBERG.

Strikes Hidden Rocks. When your ship of health strikes the hidden rocks of Consumption, Pneumonia, etc., you are lost, if you don't get help from Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. J. W. McKinnon of Talladega Springs, Ala., writes: "I had been very ill with pneumonia, under the care of two doctors, but was getting no better when I began to take Dr. King's New Discovery. The first dose gave relief, and one bottle cured me." Sure cure for sore throat, bronchitis, coughs and colds. Guaranteed at Chas. Rogers' drug store, price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

POOR ARCHITECTURE

Seven Buildings Collapse as Result of Thaw.

INVESTIGATION BEING MADE

New York City Authorities Compel Contractors to Stop Work on a Number of Buildings, as Buildings Erected in Winter Are Unsafe.

New York, March 21.—Disclosures following the collapse of the nine partially completed flat buildings since the thaw set in last Saturday have caused the city authorities to stop work on many structures and to put under the double surveillance of special inspectors several scores of other structures in the course of erection. An investigation into the methods of the bureau of buildings, it is said, may cause a revolution in the department also has been inaugurated.

Borough President Ahearn took personal charge of the latter and learned of the existence of a "speculative flat-house building craze" whereby buildings are sold from their plans and put up so rapidly that since the first of the year it has been possible to build six stories of stone foundation and brick walls, despite laws which expressly prohibit the erection of a wall in freezing weather. Superficial investigation showed him 75 instances of buildings in the northern sections of the city all of which it was admitted had been rushed to completion, although on not one day since January 1 has the mercury failed to fall below the freezing point.

That a great death roll has not followed the falling of the walls of the buildings is only by great good fortune.

Even after the walls have begun to settle in many of them, men are said to have been at work, but the collapse held off until they had gone, or happened before the men returned.

ASTORIA WOMEN INTERESTED

Miss Julia M. Beu, Overworked and Nervous, Tells of Her Remarkable Cure by Vinol.

How many women right here in Astoria are in her condition dragging out a weary existence? They are not sick enough to lie in bed, but they are overworked, tired out, run down, thin, nervous and miserable. Such women will be interested in Miss Beu's letter.

Miss Beu writes: "I was nervous and that general worn out, overworked tired-all-the-time feeling. Vinol was recommended to me as a wonderful cod liver oil restorative for weak, tired women. I tried it and it has made an entirely different person of me. I am well and strong, and can do my work with ease and without fatigue. It gives me great pleasure to recommend Vinol to overworked, tired, nervous women, as I believe it is without an equal in its wonderful restorative powers."

Mr. Chas. Rogers, our well known druggist, states that Vinol never fails to cure and build up such women, and he offers to every one in Astoria health and strength if they will but try Vinol on his guarantee. Because Vinol contains the active curative principles of cod liver oil actually taken from fresh cods' livers, it works in harmony with nature, makes rich, red blood and strengthens in a natural manner every muscle, nerve and organ in the body. It is the greatest vitalizer and strength creator known to medicine.

It gives new life and strength to the aged; it cures stomach troubles, hard colds, hanging-on coughs, restores lost appetites and gives strength to the convalescent.

If it fails to give satisfaction Mr. Rogers agrees to cheerfully refund the purchase money.

Startling Mortality.

Statistics show startling mortality from appendicitis and peritonitis. The prevent and cure these awful diseases, there is just one reliable remedy, Dr. King's New Life Pills. M. Flannery of 14 Custom House Place, Chicago, says: "They have no equal for Constipation and Biliousness." 25c at Chas. Rogers, druggist.



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HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Occident.

J. W. Meyers and wife, Portland.
Hugh Ellinger, Portland.
James McGovern, New York.
C. R. Davis, Portland.
P. Jacobson, Portland.
J. A. Miller, Chicago.
Norman Reese, San Francisco.
C. E. Corey, Portland.
J. Ross Fargo, Portland.
J. Babbler, Bay View.
T. H. Crang, Portland.
Paul DeLaney, Portland.
G. P. Chaff, Portland.
Geo. L. Hibbert, Chinook.
Harry W. Crawford, Chinook.
F. W. Jensen, Chinook.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

First National Bank

At Astoria, in the state of Oregon, at the close of business, March 14th, 1905.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$283,071 88
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	5,355 14
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	12,500 00
Stocks, securities, etc.	73,380 00
Other real estate owned	6,000 00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	9,244 60
Due from state banks and bankers	98,794 73
Due from approved reserve agents	135,851 99
Checks and other cash items	18 90
Notes of other national banks	105 00
Nickels and cents	468 52
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie	\$114,200 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	825 00
Total	\$739,815 76

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$50,000 00
Surplus fund	50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	25,764 78
National bank notes outstanding	12,500 00
Individual deposits subject to check	\$448,064 51
Demand certificates of deposit	153,356 47
Certified checks	109 00
Total	\$739,815 76

State of Oregon, County of Clatsop,

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

S. S. GORDON,

Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of March, 1905.

J. H. MANSELL,

Notary Public.

(Seal)
Correct—Attest:
G. C. FLAVEL,
W. F. MCGREGOR,
JACOB KAMM,
Directors.

Do Not Wait for Sickness.

Do not wait until your good health is impaired, but take steps to keep it up to the mark. Remember that ailments, apparently trifling, may very soon develop into serious diseases.

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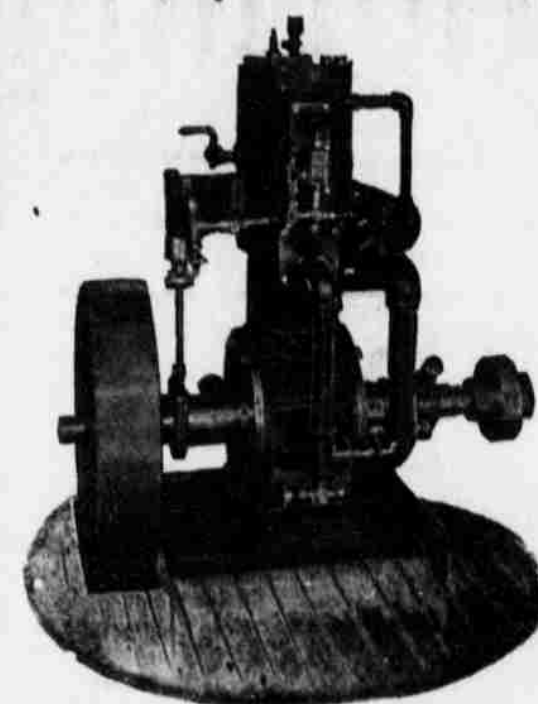
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