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LOCAL BREVITIES.
Office rooms for rent. Geo. W. Barker, Astoria National Bank

Every body is going to Hanthorn Hall next Tuesday evening. Old Country social. Maccabees.

A. B. Dalgity returned from Rainier last night where he went to attend an initiation of the Foresters.

R. M. Gaston has added a complete stock of harness, collars and saddles to his implement and vehicle line at 105 14th St. Astoria.

A marriage license was issued yesterday by County Clerk Clinton to Frank W. Jacobson and Olga M. Kahru, both of this city.

Mrs. Elsie Roberts, wife of one of the members at work at Fort Canby died Wednesday night, aged 28 years. The funeral will be held tomorrow.

Auditor Anderson commenced moving his office into the new city hall yesterday afternoon and expects to be located in the new quarters tomorrow.

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CHAS. HEILBORN & CO.,
Complete House Furnishers.

HENRY ROE KILLED
Sad Accident at the Clatsop Mills Yesterday Morning.
WORKING ON LOG CARRIAGE
Coroner's Jury Empanelled to Inquire Into the Cause of the Death and Return Verdict That it Was Accidental, No Blame Attaching.

Henry R. Roe, employed by the Clatsop mills, in this city, was instantly killed yesterday morning shortly after the mill started up. He was employed on the log deck, a position of danger, but being a careful man, he was entrusted with the position. A large log was on the carriage and one slab had been cut off. His duty was to remove a block under the log when the nigger had pushed it over, so as to turn it on the carriage. By some miscalculation, he started to put the block in, or take it out too soon, and the nigger came up, pinning his head between it and the log, crushing his head in a frightful manner. A coroner's jury was empanelled to enquire into the cause of his death, composed of the following:

Adolph Johnson, A. L. Clark, George F. Parker, J. Strauss, Charles Bohr and Theodor Brodyner. The following evidence was given at the inquest:

Dr. H. L. Henderson was called and testified as follows: "I examined the deceased and found his head completely crushed, the skull being crushed and the brain destroyed and disappeared. The accident would produce instant death. I am not acquainted with the deceased, but have seen him, do not know his name of my knowledge."

R. B. Dyer was sworn and testified: "I am the general superintendent of the Clatsop mill and vice-president. I know Henry Roe, the deceased. I should judge that he was about 45 years of age. He was employed at the mill on the log deck. I saw him there this morning, alive, about ten minutes after 7 o'clock. He was in his normal condition. He has been employed at the mill since December, 1902, and was a careful and sober man. He was working under the mill foreman, J. C. McRoberts. I saw him when he got killed. Mr. Frank Gamble, the head sawyer, was there at the time. He got his head between one of the arms of the log turner and the log on the carriage. I can't account for the accident, it was simply unaccountable; it was what he was doing every day. The machinery was all right. There was no carelessness on the part of Mr. Gamble nor any one else. No one was to blame but himself. It was an unaccountable accident. I don't understand how he could have done it."

Frank Gamble was the next witness and testified as follows: "I am head sawyer at the Clatsop mills and was working there this morning. I knew Henry Roe, he was working at the mill on the deck. I saw him when he got killed. He was about 10 feet from me. He was in his normal condition. He was a good, sober, capable man. He was working on the forward push arm on the log carriage. He put his head between the push arm and the log, while the push arm was coming up from the floor. He reached to take a block from under the log after the steam was turned on the nigger. I made an effort to stop the arm, but it could not be stopped in time. I realized the danger and reversed the lever as soon as possible, but it was too late. There was no one else in sight except Mr. Dyer. After the nigger shoved the log he should take out the block, but he seemed to forget himself, as the push arm was coming up he made a dive for the block. He did not wait until the push arm shoved the log back, as is customary. He seemed to have made a false move. The force was turned off and there was not sufficient force to move the log, but force enough to crush his skull."

After taking the testimony the judge visited the mill. The log and everything were left as it was when the accident occurred so the jury could better investigate it. The appearance of everything at the mill corroborated the evidence of the witnesses and showed that neither Mr. Gamble or any one else was to blame and the accident could not have been avoided except by Mr. Roe himself. The jury returned the following verdict:

"We, the undersigned jurors, sworn to enquire into the cause of the death of Henry Roe, on oath do find that he came to his death on the 20th day of July, 1905, at the Clatsop mill at Astoria, Clatsop county, Oregon, and that his death was accidental."

Henry R. Roe was a native of Ar-

kansas, aged 40 years, and has resided in Astoria for about 25 years. He was employed by the street car company for a number of years and was a sober, industrious man, well liked by his employers. He leaves a wife and four children, three married sisters residing in Astoria, and two brothers in Portland. He was a member of the Woodmen of the World, under whose auspices the funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon from the Baptist church, the services being conducted by Rev. L. J. Trumbull. Mr. Roe was a popular man and had many friends in Astoria who deeply regret to know of his untimely death.

STRIKES IT RICH.
Seaside Man Unearths Good Paying Mine In California.

James Burke, of Seaside, has been in Northern California the past year prospecting for gold, and, according to a letter received in this city, has struck it rich. He claims to have discovered a gold mine in Humboldt county with ore similar to that found in Cripple Creek, Colo. He states that he has been offered a half million of dollars for the claim, but refuses to sell as he believes it is worth a million. Mr. Burke's many friends will be pleased to learn of his good luck.

Threatening to Kill.

An information was filed in the justice court yesterday afternoon by Lum Dong charging Ah Sovey with threatening to kill Lum Dong, his wife and child. There has not been the best mutual friendship between the two celestials, attributed, so Dong says, to jealousy, resulting in a mixup in which Ah Sovey started in to carve Lum Dong. The case will be heard today in the justice court.

Professor Cleveland.

Professor A. A. Cleveland, formerly a teacher in the Astoria public schools and who has been attending a college at Worcester, Mass., arrived in the city yesterday on a visit with his mother, brother and sisters. He will remain in the city until August and then return to resume his studies.

Salmon Run Improves.

There was a slight improvement in the run of salmon yesterday, several boats coming in with 600 pounds. Frank Cook came down from his seining ground yesterday after more men. He reports that the run is not large, but all of the seiners are paying expenses and look for a large run in the near future.

Lowe-Habersham.

The Marriage of Edward L. Lowe, son of Captain Robert M. Lowe, and Miss Edith K. Habersham, was solemnized yesterday morning at the residence of George L. Colwell in the presence of the family and a few intimate friends. Mr. and Mrs. Lowe will reside in Astoria.

Timber Claims Sold.

W. S. Bradley, representing an eastern lumber company, yesterday purchased six timber claims back of Westport. The company have a number of tracts adjoining the claims purchased. The price paid is not stated.

M. Logan's Funeral.

The funeral of the late Michael Logan was held yesterday afternoon from Pohl's undertaking parlors, the services being conducted by Rev. L. Dielman. Interment was at Greenwood.

JUSTICE COURT NOTES.

The case of the State of Oregon against Sandy George, charged with assault and battery on Peter Demetrich, came up for trial yesterday afternoon before Justice Goodman. His attorney asked for a jury trial and the case was set for next Wednesday.

J. P. Gibbon swore to a complaint against "Slackwater" Johnson for assault and battery and he was tried, convicted and fined.

Body Discovered.

While Charley Kesler and two other boys were out boat riding yesterday morning, and when near the slip of the Sanborn cannery, they discovered the hand and arm of a person sticking out of the water. It was low tide at the time. The boys did not say anything about the matter until yesterday afternoon when Charley told his father. Coroner Pohl was notified and will make an effort to secure the body at low tide this morning.

Going to Seaside.

Astorians returned from Portland report the weather extremely warm and sultry, as a result of which, large numbers are going to Seaside. Four coaches loaded passed through Astoria yesterday on the noon train for the beach, and the Potter is crowded on every trip, bringing down a large number of passengers yesterday.

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A Good Showing.

Thomas Dealy, financial secretary of Seaside lodge, A. O. U. W., has filed his semi-annual report. It shows the collections from members and other sources to have been \$10,516.15. The sum of \$8,876.45 has been paid the grand lodge, and \$1,639.70 to the local lodge. There have been three death benefits paid in Astoria amounting to \$6000.

Arrested and Fined.

John H. and George Malar were arrested yesterday afternoon by Water Bailiff Settum on a complaint sworn to by Mr. Settum, charging them with having sturgeon in their possession less than four feet in length. They pleaded

guilty to the charge and were fined \$30 and costs, amounting to \$37.70, which they paid.

Grading Work Finished.

The work of grading the new county road around Smiths Point to a connection with the Young's bay bridge has been completed. The road bed will be covered with gravel and crushed rock and it is expected to have it open for travel by the first of August.

Good Hay Weather.

Farmers throughout Clatsop county are taking advantage of the pleasant weather to make hay. Nearly all of the hay has been cut and the crop this year will be one of the largest ever harvested in the county.

A Big Difference.

In his ad today Herman Wise shows plainly the difference between trading with Wise and otherwise.

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