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The Palace Catering company's dining-room is again open under the same management. Everything first class. Cuisine and service unexcelled. Private dining-room for ladies.

A dance will be given Saturday evening at Pacific hall, Uniontown, by Pacific orchestra. Admission 50c, ladies free.

English Damson Plums.
 The English Damson plums are fine for putting up in jars. We have just received a shipment. Step in and see them before they are all gone. A. V. Allen, the Grocer, Tenth and Commercial streets.

Boy wanted. Apply at C. H. Cooper's store.

This is the season for
Canning Peaches and Pears

Leave us your order now and we will see to it that you will be supplied with the best fruit the market affords, at the lowest possible prices.

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P. S. Just a few more of those nice home put up, wild blackberries in half gallon jars.

COMPLETE CENSUS
Assessor Cornelius Announces Results of His Efforts.

11,045 POPULATION OF CITY

Figures Will Surprise Those Who Believed Astoria a City of Fifteen Thousand—Census, however, Makes Creditable Showing.

Assessor Cornelius yesterday completed the census for 1905 and the figures divulged easily explode the theory that Astoria is a city of 15,000 or 16,000 people, as some people are wont to believe, a population of 11,045 being shown. The population of Clatsop county is 16,945.

Notwithstanding, the census shows an increase over the government figures of 1900, which gave the city a population of 8,381, of 32 per cent and an increase of over 26 per cent for the county, which was credited with a population of 12,765. The following tabulated statement shows the standing of Astoria and various communities and districts in the county:

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| Precinct— | 1905 | 1900 |
| Astoria | 11,045 | 8,381 |
| Melville | 65 | 109 |
| Ishawaka | 43 | 91 |
| Cladwell | 220 | 246 |
| Elsie | 71 | 77 |
| Vesper | 95 | 159 |
| Jewell | 113 | 143 |
| Push | 69 | 55 |
| Seaside | 852 | 417 |
| Olney | 225 | 217 |
| Youngs River | 206 | 203 |
| Walluski | 120 | 138 |
| Svensen | 202 | 227 |
| John Day | 109 | 167 |
| Westport | 250 | 192 |
| Knappa | 329 | 400 |
| Clifton | 480 | 425 |
| New Astoria | 433 | 368 |
| Fort Stevens | 441 | 368 |
| Clatsop | 295 | 264 |
| Warrenton | 323 | 495 |
| Totals | 16,945 | 12,765 |

The foreign population is shown as follows:

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| Finland, 2,022; Norway, 1,230; Sweden, 699; China, 757; Italy, 66; Austria, 204; Germany, 406; England, 280; Japan, 263; Ireland, 140; France, 40; Scotland, 67; Portugal, 3; Switzerland, 3; Greece, 75; Spain, 3; Mexico, 3; Canada, 197; Denmark, 155; Holland, 25; Iceland, 10; Belgium, 6; Hungary, 1; Prussia, 5; Russia, 24; Africa, 2; Wales, 4; South America, 1; Afghanistan, 11; At Sea, 4; total, 6,698. |
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Anent the products of the county the census report gives the output of the salmon fisheries during last year as 72, barrels of 300 pounds each, and the lumber cut during the year as 17,130,000 feet.

Parties holding fish receipts issued by Lindberg's seow, Desdemona Sands, have same cashed at Lindberg's cold-storage, Astoria. PAUL ANTON.

TO ADOPT BABY.
 An order was issued by the court yesterday allowing Joseph T. Healey and his wife, Amy L. Healey, to adopt Doris Adella Farmer, the baby daughter of Theodore Farmer.

TO MEET MONDAY.
 The county board of equalization will meet Monday to set for one week in order to hear objections from the taxpayers to the assessment roll of 1905.

STATE LAND AGENT HERE.
 State Land Agent Oswald West was in this city yesterday from Salem and reports that a number of people from that city will attend the regatta.

EXAMINED TODAY.
 The preliminary examination of John Hendrickson, who is charged with violating the local option ordinance, will be held this afternoon.

NO PERMITS ISSUED.
 A number of ranchers are applying to the court for permits to burn slashings, but none will be issued until a fire warden has been appointed in this district. This precaution is taken to prevent the spread of fires in the timbered section which have in the past been the cause of much damage.

AMUSEMENTS TO BEGIN.
 Colonel Case, who has charge of the amusements for this year's regatta, has arrived with about 70 people and paraphernalia for several shows.

SINGING SOCIETY LEAVES.
 The members of the Norwegian Singing society left last evening on the Miller to assist in the sangerfest at the exposition next Sunday.

CATCH MARKED SALMON.
 The Miller-Sand Fishing company have taken a number of marked salmon this season, some 30 in all. The majority of them bore the mark of the Chinook hatchery of 1902, while some were from the Kalama and Clackamas hatcheries. They had attained a considerable size, ranging from 18 pounds for the smallest to 46 pounds for the largest.

A Touching Story
 Is the saving from death of the baby girl of Geo. A. Eyer, Cumberland, Md. He writes: "At the age of 11 months, our little girl was in declining health, with serious throat trouble, and two physicians gave her up. We were almost in despair, when we resolved to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. The first bottle gave relief. After taking four bottles she was cured, and is now in perfect health." Never fails to relieve and cure a cough or cold. At Chas. Rogers' drug store. 50c and \$1 guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

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BUSINESS RUSHING AT WESTPORT.

John W. Palmer and J. R. Stoddard of the Westport Lumber company were in the city yesterday. They report everything prosperous at Westport and that they are making lots of lumber and the mill is running steadily. The only thing that handicaps them is that they are short of men. The steamer South Bay has just been loaded there with a half million feet and the schooner Alpha is loading now. Messrs. Palmer and Stoddard are enterprising gentlemen and we predict a splendid success for the Westport Lumber company under their management.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

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FIGURED AT 303,000

Estimate on Salmon Pack For Season Just Closed.

COLD STORAGE IN THE LEAD

Pickled Chinook Takes 33,000 Cases from Cannerymen—Pack for Season Estimated at 303,000 Cases, on Basis of Pound Tails.

Three hundred and three thousand cases of salmon were packed on the Columbia river this year, according to figures given by some cannerymen for the Associated Press and estimates made by persons so closely associated with the industry that their figures cannot be questioned. Considering that the season closed only yesterday at noon it is by far too early to give accurate figures as to the aggregate pack or the outputs of the individual canneries, but it is reasonable to assume that the above estimate will not vary 5,000 cases one way or the other.

While there are some who figure the pack as low as 250,000 cases, the majority of the cannerymen are sanguine as to the year's output comparing favorably with, if not equalling, last year's pack of 350,000 cases. That the canneries, without exception, have oversold and must pro rate their packs is assured, this being due to the fact that every concern had at least 40 per cent more gear in use this season and to 1,600,000 pounds of fish in cold-storage. Another factor to which may be traced the shortage is that a number of gillnetters used a small mesh, accepting last year's absence of large fish as a criterion. The return this year of the normal run of large fish resulted naturally in fair catches for the gillnetters with nets of the size which has heretofore been in use on the Columbia.

Exceptionally good catches have been reported from all traps and were it not for these the year's pack would fall considerably below 303,000, as the seiners, like the gillnetters, have not enjoyed even an average catch.

All in all, the season has been neither a success nor a failure, and while it certainly has not been so good as last year, from the standpoint of the cannerymen, it is to be considered fair. Buyers have had a tendency to cater to red fish, the sockeyes of the Sound and the Alaska packers' product meeting with rapid sales, but at low figures. Columbia river salmon has been sold at a good rate, and it is to be regretted that sufficient fish was not packed to fill the orders.

With every cannery figuring on a big run and an increase in output, extra gear was placed in use, and preparations made for packing with the consequence that thousands of cans will have to be carried over until the fall season. Early in the season fishermen were being paid 6 cents, but during the last five or six weeks they have received 5 cents. An estimate of the individual catches on the basis of full cases is as follows:

FIREMEN PRACTICE.
 The members of the Astoria hose team made several practice runs last night about 8 o'clock on Commercial street. The boys wore their running suits and attracted quite a large crowd. If they run as well during the regatta as they did last night they will doubtless pull down the purse.

Fast Trip by Telegraph.
 The fast steamer Telegraph leaves Calender dock, Astoria, for Portland, Ore., daily except Friday, at 2 o'clock P. M., arriving in Portland at 8:30 P. M. No better way to see the sights of the Columbia river than on the decks of the Telegraph.

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