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TERSE TALES OF THE TOWN

Thanksgiving Ball—A Thanksgiving ball will be given by the "Coming 400 Club," in the Ford & Stokes hall.

Engine House Completed—A certificate of completion of the foundation to engine No. 3, was filed with City Auditor Anderson yesterday. The contract price of the work is \$278.

Life Engagement Closed—County Clerk J. C. Clinton yesterday issued a marriage license in favor of Sidney J. Snow and Miss Olive Elizabeth Foster.

Intentions on File—Adiel Rimala, a native of Finland, yesterday went on record at the County Clerk's office with a purpose of becoming a citizen of this republic in due form and time.

New Foundation for Opera House—Work on the construction of a new foundation to Fisher's opera house will shortly be begun. The contract has been let to Birch & Jacobsen.

McTavish Monument in Place—The McTavish monument is now in place at the southeast corner of the city hall grounds, at the spot where McTavish is supposed to be buried. A wire cage has been placed over it for protection.

Drill Teams Compete—A unique contest will occur Friday evening, between two drill teams of Astor Lodge, K. of P. The work will be in the third degree and after the decision is made, the losing team will be expected to banquet their victorious rivals. The teams will be captained by Herman Wise and Thomas B. Loughery.

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GOOD GOODS

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Sluice Mud from Streets—A crew of men under the direction of Street Superintendent Kearney, were engaged yesterday in sluicing mud from Commercial street.

Birch Street Next—As intimated in these columns several days ago, it has been decided to take up the matter of improving the last, Easterly block of Birch street, to connect that thoroughfare with a new county road being laid out and prepared by the County Court.

Quick Work—Yesterday afternoon the lines for the new county highway projected by County Judge Trenchard, for connecting the Tongue Point Milling Company's land with the last open thoroughfare on the Eastern limits of the city, were being run and mapped by the proper officers of the county.

Commission Has No Hydrants—In accordance with the decision of the water commission, previously announced, Clerk G. W. Lounsbury yesterday sent a communication to City Auditor Anderson, to the effect that the commission had no available hydrant for the corner of Sixteenth and Exchange streets, as requested by the council at the last meeting.

Owens Divorce Up Again—The Owens divorce case, brought by Jennie Owens against Robert Owens, was up before Judge Frazier in Portland, Friday. Mr. Owens claims that he allowed his wife to get the divorce with the understanding that she deed back to him a half interest in property valued at \$20,000, title to which he had previously given her. This, he says, she now refuses to do, and as a consequence he asks that the case be re-opened. Attorneys Harrison Allen and G. C. Fulton of Astoria, and C. H. Carey of Portland, appeared in the case.

To Clear City Park—Steps to cut and clear away the underbrush and grub out the roots of the city park, will shortly be taken by the park commission. The sub-committee appointed by the commission to investigate the matter has decided to recommend this action, and bids for the work will be opened at the office of City Surveyor Tee on the afternoon of Saturday, December 2. None of the trees will be cut at the present time, but they will be trimmed as soon as the funds available will permit.

To Guard Against Desertion—Two negroes, John Young and Paul Smith, of the crew of the schooner Churchill, lately in from China, are being detained at the city jail at the request of the skipper, Captain Hoffman. The master of the ship believes that the men are only waiting for an opportunity to desert, and as masters are subject to a heavy fine by the immigration bureau, where aliens secure admission to the country under these circumstances, he is taking no chances. They will probably be detained at the jail until the boat leaves.

Old Resident Dead—August Lukas, an old resident of Uniontown, died at his home in this city yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Dropsy was the cause of death. Funeral arrangements are not yet made, but the services will probably occur Monday. Mr. Lukas was 57 years of age, and had been a resident of Astoria for over 24 years.

ASTORIA FURNISHED CAPTAIN

Account of the Biggest Junior Football Game in Oregon.

From the fact that an Astoria lad, Harry Flavel, captained the successful team in the heavy junior football contest at Portland on Friday, when the Portland Academy and the High school of the metropolis came together on the gridiron, the Astorian reproduces the report furnished by the Oregonian, in the hope that it may please a number of boys here, who may have overlooked it, or failed to see the paper containing it. It is as follows:

"To the discordant notes of tin horns, the shrieks of encouragement from ribbon-decked femininity and deep bass notes from many a megaphone, the Portland Academy forced its way with bone-crushing mass plays through the line of the Portland High school and over the last white line for the only five points scored in the 55 minutes of doubt and uncertainty.

"The immense grandstand was divided, and the line of demarcation was twirling streamers of the cardinal red and the orange and white of the academy. Within these division lines were crowded one of the greatest gatherings of interscholastic football enthusiasts that Multnomah Field has ever seen. Their songs and yells from start to finish were a stimulus for the contesting elevens, and to them is due much of the credit for the results.

"With but one exception, and that coming in the latter part of the last half, the ball was never out of High school's territory. The cardinal boys were outplayed and outgeneraled from start to finish, and only once or twice did the representatives of the academy eleven hold their breath in suspense. Yost tactics were greatly relied upon by Pinkham's men, but invariably the academy boys were wise to the trick, and it resulted in a loss. The straight football played by academy won the day against greater speed and trick plays. The stone-wall defense that the High school boys had worked so earnestly on saved the game twice. Gradually working down to the last white line, the orange and white would go, and each time but once they were held within less than five yards of the coveted goal. The punting of Clark was especially noticeable, each exchange of kicks resulting in a large gain for the academy.

"The game was a good, clean one, typical of real football, and in it the Portland academy gained the interscholastic championship for the fifth successive time, as well as the beautiful and coveted pennant that the Bankers' Association offered to the winner. Not a penalty was inflicted, and there was a notable lack of "roughing" it.

"In the first place in the series is now settled—it belongs indisputably to Portland academy, but the fight for second place is not yet over. By losing yesterday's game, the High school must again play the Hill Military academy or forfeit its chances for second in the race. Considering the vast improvement noticeable in the work of the cadets, this game should itself present another good, clean test of superiority.

"The line-up was:

High School	Academy
Charleston.....C	.....Cook
MacDonald.....R.G.L.	.....Hurlburt
Cason.....R.T.L.	.....Williams
Lewis.....R.E.L.	.....Corbett
Mount, Taylor.....L.G.R.	.....Ankeny
Pinkham (Capt.).....L.T.R.	.....Clark
Bradley.....L.E.R.	.....Thorne
Reed.....Q	.....Wood
Zanders.....R.H.L.	.....Hart
Ganong.....L.H.R.	.....Reed
Keltz.....F	.....Flavel (Capt.)

"Referee, Lonergan; umpire, Overfield; linesmen, Herdman and Rumpy. Time of halves, 30 and 25 minutes.

In Time of Peace.

In the first months of the Russian-Japanese war we had a striking example of the necessity for preparation and the early advantage of those who, so to speak, "have shingled their roofs in dry weather." The virtue of preparation has made history and given to us our greatest men. The individual as well as the nation should be prepared to successfully combat the first cold you take? A cold can be cured much more quickly when treated as soon as it has been contracted and before it has become settled in the system. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is famous for its cures of colds and it should be kept at hand ready for instant use. For sale by Frank Hart and leading druggists.

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DESERVES the most credit of course, but the first user comes next. Although you may not be first to appear in one of our new L. ADLER BROS. & Co., Rochester made fall suits, there is nothing to prevent you from being one of a pretty good looking bunch. \$15.00 to \$30.00 for style, fit and service equal to made to measure at \$40.00 to \$60.00.

C. H. COOPER

The Leading House of Astoria

IT WASN'T A MAN.
The foreman of the Astorian mechanical department prides himself on wearing big, Texas hats, perhaps to inspire dread and fear in the minds of innocent Westerners as they pass him on the streets of Astoria, but whatever his reason, his huge, black chapeau blew off, on the Callender pier, last evening, just about dusk, and as the big, ungainly thing flopped over the rail and into the swirling tide, a by-stander yelled "man overboard" till the foreman himself believed that some unlucky soul was really in the drink. But the circulation man was at hand and being a circulator of ambition, sprung over the dock side, slipped down a pile, circled among the stay timbers and finally reached a point from which he could reach the heavy-diameter head-gear, and it was saved. But it had about as much shape and substance left as a deck-swab and fitted its owner just about as becomingly. He generously gave the circulation man a nickle Havana for his nerve and intrepidity.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.
Occident.
O. F. Robinson, Kansas City.
Lloyd King, Portland.
D. Lipman, Portland.
J. H. Wyman, San Francisco.
Mrs. J. M. Arthur, Breakers.
L. A. Loomis, Ilwaco.
Mrs. Henry Gile, Nahcotta.
Chas. C. Spencer, Oregon City.
Earl Walker, Oregon City.
M. Wise, Portland.

TO THE PUBLIC.
Owing to the volume of our outside business, we have been compelled for some time past to neglect the city real estate, and we now take great pleasure in announcing to our friends that we have procured the services of Dick Davies, the well known and efficient real estate man, to take charge of this branch of our work. We will be pleased to have our patrons and others having property for sale, call and list the same with us, assuring them that it will be given the most prompt and very best attention.
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179 11th street.

REWARD.
A reward of twenty-five dollars will be paid for the recovery of the body of the late Capt. J. P. Hansen of the Schr. George C. Perkins, supposed to have been drowned Nov. 4th.
Temple Lodge No. 7. A. F. & A. M.
E. C. HOLDEN, Sec.
Hot drinks and sandwiches at Hoefler's.
N. A. Ackerman, East 9th st. does all manner of taxidermy, furniture upholstery, carpet cleaning and laying, mattress making a specialty and all work guaranteed.
The Little Book Store for sale.

HAS REMOVED.
Mrs. McKean has removed from the Woman's Exchange on 10th street, and has opened a store on 11th street, where she will handle crockery, glassware, tinware, toys, and fancy needlework.

MOVED AND READY.
Charles Heilborn & Co., have moved into their new store and make the announcement that they are now open for business and are ready to fill all orders promptly.

CARD OF THANKS.
We wish to convey thanks to our kind friends and others, who, by their numerous acts of kindness, assisted us in our recent bereavement of husband and father.
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W. J. Scully

470-472 COMMERCIAL STREET

CLOSING OUT SALE.
On the fifteenth of November, the entire stock of goods at the Little Book Store, will be put on sale at cost. Christmas bargains in books, stationery novelties, etc. 174 Tenth street.

WATER-PROOFING.
Mrs. A. B. Jewett has pleasure in announcing to her friends and patrons that she is now in possession of a successful system of water-proofing cloth materials. She will demonstrate the interesting process, upon call, at her rooms, No. 154 Ninth street.

TATOOING.
Prof N. M. Lyons, America's premier tattoo artist, at 418 Bond street, Shooting Gallery.
Mrs. Tilda Anderson, massage. 1470 Grand Avenue. Given either at home or will call.

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