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TERSE TALES OF THE TOWN.

No Arrests.—Since January 16 there has been no arrest made by the police force of Astoria, which record speaks well for the order of the city.

Reception.—The members and friends of the Presbyterian Church will give a reception to the new pastor, Rev. W. S. Gilbert, in the church parlors on Tuesday evening next, the 30th inst.

Given Ring.—The Royal Neighbors Wednesday evening presented Mrs. Elizabeth Rich, Past Oracle, with a beautiful ring as a token of the esteem in which she is held.

From Elsie.—Merwyn Lounsbury has returned from Elsie, where he was called on account of the death of Thomas Eccles. At present he states the snow is quite deep on the divide.

Moves Into Offices.—C. G. Palmberg has moved into his new quarters in the new structure recently erected by him on Duane street, next to the First Methodist Church.

A. & C. Oilburners.—The Astoria & Columbia River Railway Company is steadily transforming its engines to oilburners with all the expedition that thirty-five first-class mechanics can do the work. Engine No. 3 came out of the shop yesterday fully equipped and No. 7 is due out today, and No. 8 went in to the shop yesterday to undergo re-equipment.

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Arrived Last Night.—At the home of Mrs. and Mr. William Fraser, at Clatskanie, at 8:45 o'clock last evening, an eight-pound son.

Will Meet Tonight.—The ladies of the Dorcas Society of the First Lutheran Church will meet this evening at the church, and an enjoyable social time will be had. All friends of the society are expected to be present and will be welcome.

Weather Stops Work.—Roadmaster Frye who is setting up the county saw mill at Jewell reports that the weather of late has been so bad that hardly any work could be done. In the Nehalem valley snow is said to have fallen to the depth of six inches.

For Two Nights.—Manager Selig has succeeded in getting the Roscian Opera Company to play two nights instead of one as formerly announced. The opening performance will take place Friday evening, February 2, playing "El Capitain"; Saturday night, "The Bohemian Girl," and matinee, "The Mikado." A rare treat is in store for Astoria theater-goers in this engagement.

Home For Good.—Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Killeen, now Miss Alice Scott, have returned from Seattle where they have been spending their honeymoon. Mr. Killeen will again take charge of the cooperage shop on the waterfront opposite the cold storage warehouse of Linderburger Bros., and permanently remain in Astoria.

Astoria Candidate.—Among the candidates for the Oregonian's Yellowstone Park trip is Miss Tillie Daveneau of the telephone service in this city, and she has many friends here who will be glad to see her candidacy win out. It is a prize worth winning and Miss Daveneau is worthy of the prize in all ways.

On February 19th.—On Monday morning, February 19, 1906, the Hon. Circuit Court in and for Clatsop county, convenes in this city, Judge Thomas McBride, presiding. Both civil and criminal dockets, at present pending, are light, though there is no telling just what will be up for consideration by that day. There are but two prisoners in the county jail awaiting trial now with one more case liable to come up for review.

Perpetual Lease.—A perpetual lease was received yesterday by Master Fish Warden Van Dusen from Mary E. McKnight, to six acres of land for the South Coos river hatchery. The lease will be accepted soon by the fish commission which will complete the title to the land. It is proposed to erect new hatchery buildings on the property, to be finished in time for the opening of the season.

Has Met Their Wishes.—District Attorney Allen has filed the amended complaint asked for by the defendants in the Hanson-Page-Police-Commission suit. It is a voluminous document and covers the whole field of requirement laid down in the motion invoking it. The case will go to bar, so far as the State and plaintiff are concerned, complete in every detail of pleading and of law applicable in the premises.

Hold Examination.—Secretary Crosby of the local service board has announced that the board will conduct the following examinations: February 20-21, draftsman in the land office service; February 21, statistician for the geological survey; and assayer and ore dresser in the geological survey. On February 21st an examination will be held for the position of plant pathologist, and etomologist, and nautical expert in the hydrographic office at Washington. Persons wishing any information in regard to the examinations can obtain it from Mr. Crosby.

One Day of Sunshine.—The Oregon excursionists now in Southern California must have taken their home weather along with them on the trip to ward off any phase of agonizing homesickness. A letter received here yesterday from Hon. H. B. Parker, the 84-year-old youngster of the party, says they have had just one lone day of sunshine since they left Portland and that was on last Saturday. Mr. Parker reports everybody happy and in need of nothing to make them comfortable in every sense of the word. He doesn't even allude to the probability of their coming home, so it is not known when to expect them.

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The Best By Test.—Mayor Wise says he will make excellent use of the new city improvement clubs, formed, and forming here, in selecting the best and brightest material that shows itself in these organizations, for appointment to the charter commission in the coming summer. He wants men for that important body who are known to be wide awake to the interests of the city and who shall manifest the wisdom and activity essential in that behalf, in their club work. So it is up to the brainy, pushing, keen, and loyal workers in the improvement clubs to secure places on the most consequential municipal staff known outside the council itself; and it is hoped he will not be disappointed. The idea is a good one, because it will serve to inspire citizens in the clubs to do their level best for the city and will be of direct service to the city by providing the best obtainable personnel for the big commission.

PERSONAL MENTION.

M. Gorman, of Cathlamet, spent yesterday in town visiting friends. E. Z. Ferguson, of this city, has returned from a trip to Portland. B. F. Coffey, of Hammond, was in town yesterday for a short time. C. A. Taylor, of Nasel, was a business visitor in the city yesterday. S. E. Owens, of Portland, was a business visitor in the city yesterday. The Misses Lamont of Skamokawa, were visitors in the city yesterday. O. C. O'Hagen, of Chinook, was a business visitor in the city yesterday. James Elwood of Portland was in the city yesterday transacting business. G. C. Hutchinson, a resident of St. Louis, is in town this week on business. William Eigner of this city was a business visitor in Portland yesterday. James McGowan, of McGowan, was a visitor in the city yesterday for a brief time. Duncan McLean, of Portland, is in the city this week attending to business interests. Mr. and Mrs. William Golda, of Skamokawa, were in Astoria yesterday transacting business. D. R. Atkinson, of Portland, arrived in the city yesterday from his home to transact some business. Editor George Hannigan, of the Cathlamet Sun, was a business visitor in Astoria, yesterday.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals for bids will be received at the office of Clatsop Mill Co. for the extension of the Mill Wharf. Bids will be opened at 2 p. m., Monday, January 29th. Plans and specifications can be seen at office of Clatsop Mill Co. Right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

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