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WEATHER.

Western Washington, Western Oregon—Rain.
Eastern Washington—Rain or snow.
Eastern Oregon—Cloudy and threatening.

THE THING TO DO.

A movement is on foot for the organization of a Young Men's Republican Club in this city, and the initial steps will be taken next week. It is the very thing to do, and will have a beneficial effect on the coming campaign in many ways.

THE WARNING FROM PORTLAND.

The loss and disaster attendant upon the recent fire in Portland has its warning for Astoria. The wiping out of a whole block and the fringes of another there, in a few hours, with the accompanying mortal horrors is not unlikely to be repeated in this city at any time, unless the utmost care is taken in the disposition of inflammables.

THE POPULAR SHIP.

The steamship Roanoke seems to be in heavy and promiscuous demand in commercial circles on this coast. Her owners no sooner get her lined up on some definite run, than one or more companies are after her for duty on another. Well, she is a valuable and useful vessel, and so long as she does not

leave these waters, Astoria can have but little to say in the matter though the day may not be far distant when she will have considerable to say in such matters, and when she does, she will have a fist out for the Roanoke and all ships of her class.

THE NINE SPOT MAN.

Did you ever see a lot of nine-spot men who had it in for a business man and didn't know why? Ever hear the gang curse and berate a home man who had made a success of what he undertook while they have been chewing and spitting and lushing at the same old job they monkeyed with fifteen years ago?

EDITORIAL SALAD.

As a rule the male shirk marries a woman who knows all about the big stick.

A happy marriage is the usual result when love is adulterated with a little common sense.

A rolling stone gathers no moss, but it is almost liable at any time to fall into something soft.

Down with the smoking cars on trains says the Women's Christian Temperance Union of Galesburg.

The famous Cherry sisters are again to appear before the footlights and begin a tour of the United States.

The attempt to abolish football at Harvard University is going on slowly, owing to the difficulty of finding any to abolish.

Engineer Wallace did not say he was almost cursed by Taft, but almost crushed. The country was aware the Secretary sat down on him pretty hard.

The Cubans desire to give Alice Roosevelt, as a wedding gift the plantation of which San Juan Hill is a part. Gee! don't you wish you were Alice!

The country will like right well to take a whack at Mormonism, but when it sizes up Smoot it wishes a little more suitable horrible example had been furnished.

The curiosity of woman, who examined some colored rock she noticed in San Bernardino county recently, resulted in the unearthing of a turquoise mine.

There are 115 concerns making automobiles in the United States; 35,000 American cars were sold last year in country; capital invested \$150,000,000.

An olive complexion is the correct thing in England now. So golden hair has "gone out." Golden hair and a Japanese complexion are not a pretty combination.

The women of Center, Neb., may use the bath tub only on Thursday, which is set aside as "ladies day" by the barber, who is proprietor of the only tub in the town.

A New York woman recommends a novel remedy for cinder in the eye, viz, a loop of horsehair run up under the lid. Of course the hair should be thoroughly sterilized before being used.

Miss Katherine Winterbotham of Chicago must be pleased with beauty for she is considered the handsomest woman in that city and my, what a large place and what beautiful women there are too.

You have looked at the clock thousands of times and yet not know that the four I's are there because of the usual IV; are there because of the obstinacy of the king of France. When Henry de Vick carried to Charles V. the first really accurate clock, the monarch informed him that the IV

was wrong and should be changed to III. Vick said, "You are wrong! Your Majesty!" Whereat the King thundered out "I am neger wrong." Take it away and correct the mistake!" From that time to this day the four I's have stood as the mark of the fourth hour.

Are You Restless at Night.

And harassed by a bad cough? Use Ballard's Horehound Syrup. It will secure you sound sleep and effect a prompt and radical cure. Sold by Hart's Drug Store.

Itch—Ringworm.

E. T. Lucas, Wingo, Ky., writes, April 25, 1902: "For 10 to 12 years I had been afflicted with a malady known as the 'itch.' The itching was most unbearable; I had tried for years to find relief, having tried all remedies I could hear of, besides a number of doctors. I wish to state that one single application of Ballard's Snow Lintiment cured me completely and permanently. Since then I have used the lintiment on two separate occasions for ring worm and it cured completely. 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by Hart's Drug Store.

CHATTEL MORTGAGE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that on the 7th day of March, 1904, Robert Gibson executed and delivered to Chas. H. Page, Trustee, his certain Mortgage Chattel, mortgaging unto the said Chas. H. Page, Trustee, the following described personal property, viz:

- 1 large printing press,
2 small printing presses,
1 wire stitching machine,
1 paper cutter,
1 electric motor,
2000 pounds of type, more or less, of all descriptions,
5 composing stands,
3 writing desks,
1 linotype machine,

All cases, stands and office fixtures. That the conditions of said Chattel Mortgage have been broken and there is now due, owing and unpaid on the indebtedness secured thereby the sum of \$414.27.

That pursuant to a demand made by the said Chas. H. Page, Trustee, and by virtue of the power in said mortgage given, I have seized and taken possession of the above described mortgaged property and I will, on Tuesday, the 20th day of February, 1906, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Astoria, Clatsop county, Oregon, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the whole of the above described mortgaged chattels, as an entirety or sufficient thereof to satisfy said sum of \$414.27, together with the costs and expenses of the foreclosure hereof.

Dated at Astoria, Oregon, this 10th day of February, 1906. THOS. LINVILLE, Sheriff of Clatsop County, Oregon.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Astoria National Bank

At Astoria, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, January 29, 1906.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes RESOURCES: Loans and Discounts \$293,902.55, Overdrafts secured and unsecured 5,767.56, U. S. Bonds to secure circulation 12,500.00, etc.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes LIABILITIES: Capital stock paid in \$50,000.00, Surplus fund 10,000.00, Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid 35,118.83, etc.

State of Oregon, County of Clatsop, ss: I, J. E. Higgins, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. J. E. HIGGINS, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of February, 1906. M. C. MAGEE, Notary Public.

POLITICAL COLUMN.

Announcements of candidates for office will be published in this column at reasonable rates for men of all parties.

FOR GOVERNOR. Republicans of Oregon are hereby informed that I am a candidate for the nomination of Governor at the primaries to be held April 20th. JAMES WITTHCOMBE.

FOR SECRETARY OF STATE. I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Secretary of State, and ask the support of all Republicans. F. T. WRIGHTMAN.

FOR STATE PRINTER. The undersigned announces himself as a Republican candidate for re-nomination for State Printer at the forthcoming primaries. J. R. WHITNEY.

FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for renomination for the office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, and solicit the support of all Republicans at the primaries, April 20th. J. H. ACKERMAN.

FOR ATTORNEY-GENERAL. The undersigned hereby announces himself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Attorney-General, subject to the approval of Republican voters at the primaries. A. M. CRAWFORD.

"PaleBohemian Lager Beer" THE BEER FOR THE HEALTHY AND WEALTHY AND WISE on draught and in bottles Brewed under sanitary conditions and property aged right here in Astoria. North Pacific Brewing Co. ASTORIA, OREGON.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE First National Bank

At Astoria, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, January 29th, 1906.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes RESOURCES: Loans and Discounts \$315,275.00, Overdrafts secured and unsecured 8,536.62, U. S. Bonds to secure circulation 12,500.00, etc.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes LIABILITIES: Capital stock paid in \$50,000.00, Surplus fund 50,000.00, Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid 26,098.73, etc.

State of Oregon, County of Clatsop, ss: 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 1st day of February, 1906. V. BOELLING, Notary Public.

NOW IN OUR NEW STORE COR-BOND AND 11th. STREET WE ARE BUSY GETTING SETTLED BUT CAN FIND TIME TO SHOW YOU HOW COMPLETE AND EXTENSIVE IS OUR STOCK OF WALL PAPER, PAINTS, OIL, GLASS, MATTINGS, MOULDINGS, ETC. COME IN AND SEE OUR NEW LOCATION AND LET US FIGURE WITH YOU ON ANY WORK N OUR LINE. B. F. Allen & Son, Cor. Bond and Eleventh St.

That All Important Bath Room You have often heard people remark "If I were ever to build, I would plan my bath room first and would not put all my money into the parlor with all its finery." That is good common sense sentiment, for the bath room is the most important of all the household. We would like to help you plan your bath room and will gladly quote you prices on "Standard" Ware, the best and most sanitary fixtures made. J. A. Montgomery, Astoria.

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