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TERSE TALES OF THE TOWN

Died Yesterday.—Claude, the two year old son of N. P. Ovens, died yesterday at the home of his parents in Cathlamet. The funeral will occur today.

To Portland.—Mrs. J. E. Ferguson and Mrs. William Ross are in Portland this week attending the convention of the Oregon State Sunday School Association.

Getting In Line.—The following would be citizens of the United States yesterday filed their declarations of intention in this behalf: Jacob Niemi, of Finland, and Alfred Apeneer, of England, and Nels Holonen, of Finland.

The very best board to be obtained in the city is at "The Occident Hotel." Rates very reasonable.

On Inspection.—A private car was hitched to engine No. 7, (the last of the "A. & C." engines to be converted into an oil burner, and just out of the shops), and General Manager G. W. Talbot and his staff, went over the Seaside end of the system, on a tour of inspection, yesterday.

Hotel Irving—European plan. The only steam-heated hotel in Astoria; large and airy rooms; prices from 50 cents to \$1.50; well prepared and daintily served meals at 25 cents. Special rates per week or month for room and board to permanent guests. Our bus meets all trains and steamboats.

Cooking Sale.—The ladies of the Methodist church will give a home made cooking sale of home made candies, cake, pies, and all the other delicacies Saturday afternoon beginning at two o'clock. Everything which will be on sale is to be of the kind that mother used to make, and you should not miss attending the sale and sampling what is there. 5-2-41.

Reported For the Contest.—The filing of acceptances by the various nominees hereabout goes on apace, yesterday's contributions being from M. J. Young, Republican as justice of the peace, for Seaside precinct; and B. F. Coffey for county commissioner on the Democratic ticket.

Conveyance, Pro Forma.—A deed was filed in the county clerk's office yesterday, from Alexander Christie, Archbishop of Oregon City, to Alexander Christie, Archbishop of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Oregon, conveying the title of Lots Not. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, in block No. 20, in the town of Astoria, as laid out by the Shivelys.

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GOOD GOODS.

118-122 Twelfth St. Astoria, Ore.

Dies of Consumption.—Alec. Iverson, died yesterday afternoon at his home at 1517 Harrison avenue, of consumption. The deceased was a member of the local lodge of the Redmen. Arrangements for the funeral have not yet been made.

Done in Probate.—Judge Trenchard, sitting for probate matters yesterday, made an order setting Saturday, June 2, 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m., for hearing the final account of the administrator of the estate of Andrew Erickson, deceased.

Drive Fish Traps.—It is reported that the trappers are preparing to drive traps above Point Ellis, and that a pile driver has already been taken to the spot to begin the work. This is the place where last year the trouble between the gillnetters and trap owners took place and it is likely that the fishermen will shortly institute action to enjoin the trappers from proceeding with their work.

Ladies.—We are now prepared to furnish you with our latest styles of up-to-date dress and street hats for ladies and also for the little misses. Our prices are right. At the Fair Eastern Millinery in the Star Theatre Building. 4-8.

Harmony Everywhere.—Hon John Fox has returned from his recent visit to Portland, whether he went, in behalf of Mr. W. R. Hume, to attend the session of the State Republican Central Committee, and reports that he never attended a political meeting in Oregon, where the spirit of good-will, big purpose and partisan unity, was exemplified as wholesomely as it was there. He says that this attitude was so apparent in the converse and attitude of every man present as to augury a unified and successful campaign for a practical certainty.

Treasurer's Receipts.—The city treasurer yesterday received the sum of \$1,494.35 turned over to him by the chief of Police on account of Sundry licenses collected during the month of April. For different street assessments, \$413.98 was turned in. The city auditor also turned over to the treasurer on account of fines and forfeitures during last month, the sum of \$1,322 and \$8.00 for building permits.

Will Take Command.—Yesterday the pleasure order was received in this city from the light-house board at Portland, assigning M. Nolan, formerly second officer of the Manzanita, to the command of light-ship No. 67, now stationed off the Columbia bar. Mr. Nolan has many friends in this city who will cordially congratulate him on the promotion that has fallen to him, but they will have to hasten if they do it, because he will report aboard the ship without any sort of delay.

A Sextette Yesterday.—County Clerk Clinton, yesterday received the following six instruments for record: Mary I. Philbrick and husband, to Mrs. Lottie Daniels, bond for deed, \$90, Lot 1, block 2, Pine Grove, Seaside. Robert Daniels to Mrs. Lottie Daniels, bill of sale \$1, for dwelling standing on Lot 2, Block 1, Pine Grove, aforesaid; George Nolan and wife, and G. A. Dorris and wife, to E. Gladys Watson, warranty, \$450, lot 9, block 2, First Addition to Ocean Grove; W. C. Smith and wife to D. R. Krueh, warranty, \$400, lots 4, and 5, block 21, The Plaza; The Columbia Harbor Land Company to Florence L. Crosby, warranty, \$650, lots 7 and 8, block 31, Warrenton Park.

Another Easy Escape.—A certain fellow was wanted here for having betrayed the confidence of his land-lord in the matter of paying his boardbill. The fellow fled to Rainier, and went to work there in one of the mills. In obedience to the proper processes, Constable Utzinger went to Rainier after the man, got him, took the train back to Astoria, and en route, permitted the fellow to go to the toilet at the end of the car. The prisoner simply opened the other door,

stepped on to the platform and dropped off into the night on the hither side of Bogg's station, and Mr. Utzinger came home minus. This dropping off "A. & C." trains is getting to be the style lately, with gentlemen who are wanted at either terminal of the road.

Lost In The Quake.—Del B. Sculley, of this city yesterday received word by letter from Seattle relatives, that his uncle, Henry Burgess has been lost in the collapse of the Geary House, on Union Square, in San Francisco, which succumbed to the awful shock of April 18th. And the fact that no trace has been found of Mrs. Burgess and her daughter, leads to the unhappy conclusion that they, too, are in the ruins, but this is not yet conceded. Mr. Burgess was known to be in the house when it fell and burned, but the ladies may have found other refuge, though the search for them is almost hopeless.

Informal Session.—The board of school directors of the City of Astoria, held an informal session at the office of School Clerk E. Z. Ferguson, last night, at which time and place there were present, President Frank J. Taylor, Directors J. E. Higgins, J. W. Welch and Gust Holmes; City Superintendent A. L. Clark being in attendance with them. Mr. Ferguson, and Director J. A. Eakin were absent. The board had under discussion several matters of importance and will be ready to rule on the ultimate disposition of them at a subsequent meeting, either regular, or called. Apropos of this meeting the reporter of the Astorian got a glimpse of the beautiful High School diplomas that are to be distributed to the following young people in due season: Annie Wilhelmina Bergman, Edith Elsie Butt, Magna Sophie Carlson, Blodwin Davies, May Karinen, Grace Ellene Magladry, Maret Louise Settem, Kate Mabel Wood, John Joseph Leahy, Otto Emile Utzinger and Franklin Thomas Parker, and from a close scrutiny of the work and materials involved they are a credit to the house that got them up, and well worth the cherishing of the fortunate scholars named above; they are beautiful and enduring.

Drew All Sorts of Checks.—One William Miller, a tin-horn sport, who went broke trying to gamble here last week is yearned for in the most aggressive manner by certain parties in this city, who had the bad judgment to cash a couple of his checks on the First National Bank. But he is gone and with him about \$70. of their good coin. Being hard pressed the other night, he casually drew out a check book and wrote a check on the above named bank for \$55, and asked a by-stander to cash it for him. The by-stander from sheer surprise, or stupidity, immediately cashed it; and later in the evening he repeated the operation with still another bright citizen for the sum of \$15. This was on Saturday night. The bank did not open until 9 yesterday, and at 7:45 the pocket invader boarded the early express for Portland. Shortly after banking hours yesterday morning, the victims were enlightened on the subject, and passed the information up to Sheriff Linville and District Attorney Harrison Allen, who took the necessary steps to apprehend the fleeing rascal. Sheriff Linville enlisted the aid of the A. & C. officials here, and wired the conductor of the express, at Goble, a careful description of the man wanted, and received the information that he was on the train, and that the officers of the law at the Union depot should be notified. In the meantime, however, the sheriff had notified the police authorities at Portland and fully expected to hear of the rogue's capture shortly after noon. But to his astonishment, was informed over the telephone wires, that on leaving Goble the train men had quietly locked the doors of the coach in which Miller was riding, and that he, having discovered this, had deliberately slipped out of the car-window as the train slowed down for its run through the city, and had escaped. The only hope available is that the Portland officers may lay hands on him. They have a full description of him and it is possible he will be overhauled.

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A Positive Necessity.
Having to lay upon my bed for 14 days from a severely bruised leg, I only found relief when I used a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment. I can cheerfully recommend it as the best medicine for bruises ever sent to the afflicted. It has now become a positive necessity upon myself.
D. R. Byrnes, merchant, Doversville, Texas, 25c. 50c and \$1.00. Sold by Hart's drug store.

AID SAN FRANCISCO

London Salvationists to Give Monetary Benefit.

GRAND PROGRAM PLANNED

Living Cross Will be Formed; 260 Women Wearing White, and Men in Red Uniforms Will Compose Figures.

NEW YORK, May 1.—The salvation army has arranged the biggest meeting it has ever given outside of London for Sunday evening, May 13, at the Hippodrome, for the benefit of the San Francisco sufferers. This will be part of its 26th anniversary congress which will be held from Friday May 11 to Wednesday May 16 inclusive. Commander Evangeline Booth will conduct the big meeting and in it will "Sing the Song of Love and tell the Story of the Broken Heart." This has been done before, but will be much extended for the big meeting. A living cross will be formed as Miss Booth sings and 260 women, wearing white, will come on the stage at intervals and arrange themselves in the form of a cross. They will be followed by army men in red uniforms who will outline the cross and they in turn, will be followed by army officers in the dark uniforms, who form an outer line around the cross.

Sunday afternoon a big open air meeting at which the whole local army will be present, will be held in Brooklyn, Monday, May 14th, at 3 o'clock the big new slum settlement house of the army will be opened. The congress will close Wednesday afternoon with a tea to the provincial officers.

PERSONAL MENTION.

H. N. Moore, of Boston, arrived in the city yesterday on business.

G. O. Mollin, of Minneapolis is a business visitor in the city, having arrived on the noon express yesterday.

George Hibbart, of Chinook was an Astoria visitor yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Evans, of Portland came in on the 11:35 train yesterday morning and are domiciled at the Occident.

W. W. Wisewell, of Portland, reached this city via the noon express yesterday.

M. L. Gallagher, of Portland is in the city on a business tour.

H. B. Kuntz, of Portland is doing business in the city for a day or two.

W. R. Shreve, of Cathlamet, spent the day in the city yesterday and returned up on the Larline last evening.

"Toll" Thompson, the famous fire insurance man, is doing business in Astoria. He has just returned from a hurried trip to San Francisco, and is glad he hurried.

G. B. Merriweather, of Pendleton, is a business tourist in and about Astoria.

S. F. Cartwright, a drummer out of Denver, arrived in the city yesterday on the noon train.

Mrs. John McCue, of Portland, came in on the Portland express yesterday at noon, for a few days visit at the home of her son, J. C. McCue.

John B. Levering, a well known mining engineer of Los Angeles, spent the day here yesterday.

S. A. McClure, of Spokane was in the city yesterday greeting old friends.

J. F. Samuels, of Sacramento, passed through the city yesterday en route to Aberdeen, via South Bend.

Emil Erickson of Warrenton was a visitor in the city yesterday.

LABOR MEETING.

NEW YORK, May 1.—Under the auspices of the Socialist party and the Moyer-Haywood Labor Conference, composed of about 160 labor organizations, a joint May Day demonstration will take place this evening at the Grand Central Palace. It will be in behalf of the miners now in jail in Idaho and Colorado.

Maxim Gorkey, the Russian revolutionist is expected to speak.

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NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS

A nine per cent dividend in the Building & Loan Land Company is now payable at the office of W. L. Robb

J. Q. A. BOWLBY, President.
May 1, 1906

NOTICE! NOTICE!

All persons of firms in need of help, either men or women; or those having men's, women's or children's garments to spare, will please inform Mrs. McKean, of the Ladies' Relief Committee, Eleventh street, near Commercial. 5-1-76

Finest Candies, best brands of cigars and tobaccos at Howe & Gowans, 420 Commercial street. Opposite Shermans. Fruits and canned goods. 4-29-3t.

For a good shave go to the Occident Barber Shop. Five chairs No long waits.

Here You Are.—Hautala & Raitanen tailors, cleaning, pressing, ladies' and men's clothing. 491 Bond St., Phone Red 2305.

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Man to work on ranch, must be good milker.—Enquire Milk Depot Cor. 10th and Duane.

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Try Some of Our fine China sets. They come in packages and parcels ready measured for use. 5c to 60c per package. Howe & Gowans, 420 Commercial street 5-1-2t

A Broken Wheel, a loose tire or wagon on a buggy repairs of any kind all kinds can be attended at once and done properly, if taken to Andrew Asp & Company. Repairing and general black smithing. Buggies and wagons for sale.

N. A. Ackerman, 421 Bond St., does all manner of taxidermy, furniture upholstering, carpet cleaning and laying, mattresses making a specialty and all work guaranteed.

Baseball goods at Svenson's.

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The nimble coin of the country never does so good a thing as when it supplies a man with a well-cooked and healthful meal of the sort he is hungry for. In this instance it becomes a blessing, and no pocketbook is the poorer for the expenditure; this is why everyone you see coming out of the Palace Restaurant carries such a grateful and satisfied expression of countenance. Just watch for a day or so, and the first thing you know you'll be a steady customer there. It is one of the certainties of Astoria life.