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TERSE TALES OF THE TOWN

He Declared.—A declaration of intention was filed yesterday in the matter of his citizenship, by Emil Bohl, a native of Germany.

For the East.—Miss Sue H. Elmore leaves tomorrow morning for a two months' sojourn in the East, with New York as a point of departure for sundry pleasant excursions to many of the great cities thereabout.

A Garrison Dance.—Captain and Mrs. Phister, of Fort Columbia, gave a delightful dance on Saturday night last, in honor of Colonel and Mrs. Wood, of Vancouver. It was a thoroughly enjoyable affair and was attended by the staff and ladies of the posts at Stevens and Canby.

How They Came Out.—The Astoria Musicians' Union held a business meeting yesterday afternoon, to scan the results of the recent fine concert given by them at the Star, for the benefit of their fellows of San Francisco, and the balance sheet showed that the sales of tickets aggregated \$100.25, the expenses \$33.50 and the net proceeds, which were instantly forwarded to their destination, exactly \$66.75. The members of the union desire to extend their cordial thanks for the patronage given them, from whosoever and whomsoever it emanated. It is needless to say that all who attended the concert are convinced they got their full money's worth.

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Geer at Seaside.—Ex-Governor T. T. Geer will speak tonight at Seaside and a large crowd is expected to listen to him. Many people of Astoria expect to be there.

"In Leafy June."—Next month, now fast approaching, is currently reported full of engagements in which the "dainty June bride" and the "sweet girl graduate" will figure very prominently in this section of Oregon. Well, if there is anything that supercedes these two attractions in all the known world trot 'em out forthwith. But as there isn't, the most will be made of blessings at hand.

Correction as to Date.—The types made this paper say yesterday morning, that James Withycombe, republican candidate for the governorship of Oregon, would address the citizens of Astoria at Logan's hall on the evening of May 11, when it should have read Thursday, May 31. It is very essential that this error be made known, and it is here avowed.

A Full Octette.—There were eight deeds filed for record at the office of County Clerk Clinton yesterday, as follows: H. G. Heimonen to A. S. Kerry, warranty, \$10, 157 acres in section 34, T. 6 N., R. 7 W.; H. Heimonen and wife to A. S. Kerry, warranty, \$10, the N. E. 1/4 of section 35, T. 6 N., R. 7 W.; David Kartume to A. S. Kerry, warranty, \$10, 160 acres in section 34, T. 6 N., R. 7 W.; W. E. A. L. Lindfors and wife to A. S. Kerry, warranty \$10, S. E. 1/4 of section 27, T. 6 N., R. 7 W.; M. C. Magee to George Otter, warranty, \$200, Lot 4, Block 6, Railroad Addition to Ocean Grove; John Taylor Coffee to E. F. and V. H. Coffee, warranty, \$500, north half of the northwest quarter of section 27, T. 8 N., R. 8 W.; E. F. Libke to Clotella Libke, warranty \$1, twenty acres in section 13, T. 7 N., R. 10 W.

CONTRACTS FOR BRIDGES ON THE TILLAMOOK LINE.

Contracts were closed yesterday between the Pacific Railway & Navigation Company and Dakefeld & Jacobson of Portland for the construction of five bridges between Banks and Buxton, on the line of the P. R. & N. west of Hillsboro. The structures will probably be finished in thirty days.

Beginning Monday the company will operate a mixed train from Hillsboro to Banks, a distance of 10 miles. This will be the first train run over the road to carry passengers and freight.

CONCERT AT M. E. CHURCH.

A veritable treat is in store for Astoria music lovers. Mr. Clair Monteith, assisted by other musicians, will be heard in concert at the M. E. Church on Tuesday, May 29th. An exceptionally fine program has been arranged and a large attendance is expected. Admission, 50 cents.

Baseball goods at Svenson's.

HOT WEATHER BAD.

CHICAGO, May 21.—Increased mortality in Chicago during the last week is ascribed to hot weather, in the report of the city health department, which will be issued today. Thirty-three more deaths under five years old were reported than during the week previous and forty-nine more than during the corresponding week last year.

Postmaster Robbed.

G. W. Fouts, postmaster at Riverton, Ia., nearly lost his life and was robbed of all comfort, according to his letter, which says: "For twenty years I had chronic liver complaint, which led to such a severe case of jaundice that even my finger nails turned yellow; when my doctor prescribed Electric Bitters; which cured me and have kept me well for eleven years." Sure cure for Biliousness, Neuralgia, Weakness and all stomach, Liver, Kidney and Bladder derangements. A wonderful Tonic. At Charles Rogers' drug store. 50 cents.

GOOD WORK STARTED

Astoria Chamber of Commerce Takes Hearty Hand.

IN TWO ESSENTIAL MATTERS

Declares Itself in Favor of Non-Interference With Manufacturing Interests of City—Endorses Mr. Ingalls' Enterprise.

The Astoria Chamber of Commerce held its second regular session for the month of May, at the Bond-street rooms last evening, and disposed of several important matters with dispatch and an assurance of promising returns. Vice-President John C. McCue presided and Secretary Charles E. Higgins maintained the records. Among the matters of moment handled last night were the following:

The matter of the bill now pending in Congress for the denaturalization of alcohol was presented through correspondence, and the president and secretary were directed to urge the senators from Oregon to support the measure, when it should reach that branch of the national legislature.

Suggestions were asked by the committee appointed for that purpose in the Trans-Mississippi Congress by means of a letter addressed to the Astoria chamber, and the local committee on commerce and navigation was charged with the duty of compiling such suggestions and ideas in the interest of Astoria and the northwest, and report in due season.

One of the largest subjects considered at the session of last night was the resolution returned by the committee to whom was referred the matter of application of the local option law within, and for, precinct No. 6, of this city, in its relation to the plant, business and interests of the Northwest Brewing Company, of this city and that particular precinct. The whole question is elucidated in the text of the following resolution, which was passed unanimously by the chamber:

Report of Committee on Manufactures.

"Astoria, Ore., May 12, 1906.
To the Officers and Members of the Astoria Chamber of Commerce:
Gentlemen:—We, your committee to whom was referred the matter of the 'local option' question in precinct six," beg to make the following report:

"We find that the precinct mentioned which includes the district lying between Twenty-first and Thirty-fifth streets will vote upon the local option amendment at the coming election to be held on Monday, June 4, 1906. That the North Pacific Brewing Company has its manufacturing plant located within this district and in the event that the law becomes in force, it will seriously affect the future of the company operating in this city inasmuch as the law prohibits the manufacture of malt and spirituous liquors as well as prohibiting the sale of same. The North Pacific Brewing Company represents an investment of a large amount of capital and is considered to be one of Astoria's most substantial industries giving employment to a number of laborers throughout the year and is conducted in a legitimate and dignified manner.

"The local option law is manifestly unjust to manufacturing brewers and we believe that the voters of precinct number six should preserve this institution instead of trying to tear it down. Astoria needs the North Pacific Brewing Company for the money it retains at home as well as a number of other manufacturing institutions to give employment to our citizens and those who constantly arrive to make Astoria their home. The operation of the local option law against the retail establishments is a matter for the individual voters to decide, but the community as a whole are interested in the preservation of its manufacturing establishments and we therefore discourage the application of the local option law in precinct number six. Respectfully submitted,
"JNO. E. GRATKE,
"ALBERT DUNBAR,
"Committee on Manufactures."

The last, but not least important, subject to gain the interests of the commercial body, was the following proposal of W. J. Ingalls, of this city and county, and which is entirely self-explanatory, and reads as follows, along with the resolution which promptly followed its introduction (after which adjournment was taken until the meeting of the Chamber in course):

Proposition.
"I propose to go back East, to the

province of Quebec, and the New England States, where I formerly lived and am well known, and hold meetings in the different towns and villages and talk to them of the resources of the State of Oregon; and also distribute all the advertising matter I can get from the Astoria Chamber of Commerce, and the Oregon Development League, and also from the railroad companies terminating in the Northwest; to the end that an immigration of desirable people may be induced to come to the coast, and from my extensive acquaintance in those parts, I am satisfied, that I can induce a great many people to come out here."

Endorsement.

The Astoria Chamber of Commerce, takes pleasure in endorsing the proposition of Mr. W. J. Ingalls who proposes to visit the province of Quebec and the New England States (where he formerly lived and is well known) and spend a few months in advertising by tongue and pen, the resources of the State of Oregon, and is satisfied that his efforts to induce immigration to the State of Oregon of a good class of farmers and mechanics, would be successful. We beg to endorse his proposition and heartily recommend him to the railroads and transportation companies interested, knowing him to be a truthful and reliable man and one who is likely to carry out to a successful conclusion anything he may undertake and trust that the companies interested will give his proposition their favorable consideration.

Motion.

"That the President of the Astoria Chamber of Commerce write a letter to the president of the Portland Chamber of Commerce (and to Tom Richardson of the Oregon Development League) outlining the proposition of Mr. W. J. Ingalls, and asking him to further his wishes in regard to securing favorable consideration by the railroads interested to the end that they would make such concessions in rates that would repay Mr. Ingalls in a degree for his enterprise and work in inducing immigration to the coast."

PERSONAL MENTION.

James Mutel, of St. Louis is in the city on business.

G. A. Reddick, of Oregon City, is in the city on a brief visit.

Fred M. Zilly, of Portland arrived in the city yesterday, on a business trip.

J. E. Brader, one of Seaside's leading citizens, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Captains J. W. and Edward Babbidge left for the metropolis on the Lurline last night.

George Hibbert, editor of the Chinook Observer, was in the city yesterday, on a business trip.

C. H. Matsen, of Ilwaco, came over yesterday, in time to take the Lurline for the metropolis.

John Fellows came over from Ilwaco yesterday and went on to the metropolis via the Lurline last evening.

Mrs. Amelia Gile, of Nahcotta, arrived in the city yesterday and took the Lurline for Portland, yesterday evening.

Mrs. J. C. Barth, of Portland is spending a few weeks with her home people at No. 785 Jerome Avenue, in this city.

Captain and Mrs. Tom, Spencer have returned to their Astoria home from a two weeks sojourn at the St. Martin's Springs.

J. L. Mitchell, supreme secretary of the order of Washington, is in the city on a fraternal visit, and is domiciled at the Merwin.

Howard N. Brownell, of the law office of Hon. Harrison Allen, was a homing passenger on the noon express from Portland yesterday.

Miss G. B. Hackney, of Sea View Fred Rudie, of Nahcotta, was in the city yesterday and took the Lurline for Portland, last evening.

S. M. Cooper, who is a native of San Francisco, judging from his cheerful audacity in heralding himself from Greater San Francisco, and so recording it, is a guest at the Hotel Occident. It's an alright call all right.

Hon. Frank C. Baker, of Portland left the steamer Alliance yesterday morning just long enough to run up and breakfast with the genial landlord of the Occident inn, in this city. Mr. Baker is unqualified in his opinion of an overwhelming republican victory in every electoral balliwiek of Oregon, on the fourth of June next.

Arthur Smith, proprietor of the Palace Catering Company, left last night for a business trip to Seattle.

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WARNING!

To Clean Up Premises.

Mayor Wise announces that on June 7th will expire the time of grace allowed by the city to property owners, in which to clean up their premises. The city authorities are determined to see to it that the streets and yards, back and front, are relieved of all rubbish and filthy debris, and if owners of property do not obey the order and ordinance in this regard, there will be something doing for them in the way of contributing a liberal fine toward the city's running expenses. The fine is not less than \$50, so that cleaning up is easier on the pocketbook, than allowing the property owned by you to remain in its present condition. The chief of police has been instructed to arrest any person after June 7th who has not complied with the city's mandate. This order is no bluff. Get Wise! Clean Up!

HIRSCH DELIVERS ADDRESS.

CHICAGO, May 21.—Dr. Emil C. Hirsch, delivered his last address for the Summer yesterday in Sinai Temple. He outlined plans for a radical departure in the work of the congregation. His fondest desire, he said, is to see the temple as a material structure and as an institution supplanted by a new religious industrial center.

The address closed Dr. Hirsch, twenty-sixth year in the pulpit.

"The ambition of my life is to see this fortress of stone replaced by a fortress of life—a center of growing life for the development of humanity, where rich and poor, learned and unlearned, can gather in comment and feel at home," said Dr. Hirsch. "To depart from the temple and create an auditorium, surrounded by workshops and gymnasiums and to unite the religious, social and industrial features of life."

In his sermon he appealed for a creative morality to meet the conditions of the times. One condition that is awaiting reform through this morality, he said, is the accumulation of wealth by the few.

"Under present conditions a few become the beneficiaries of the many," he said.

"Less so-called charity and more justice is my solution of the modern day problems. The rich man justly is only the administrator of his wealth. He does not own it. He should administer it to the good of those who have made it."

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When you are in need of anything in the photographic line in the amateur way, kodaks, films, plates, cards, mounts, and all the technical details of the business, and want the best and last in the way of artistic development, just go to Frank Hart, the druggist, and tell him so. That is all.

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

LADIES ATTENTION!

The biggest millinery sale ever offered. All the hats at the Elite Millinery Store in the Dr. Ball's building on Commercial St., across the street from Budget office. Must be sold before the first of June, and will be sold at cost. Don't miss this opportunity of getting a good hat cheap.

SPECIAL SALE.

We bought the entire stock of this season—waists from the Elite Millinery store and we will put them on sale today, Saturday, at 50c on the dollar. Come early and get your size. New York Credit Co., Welch Block, opp. the Budget.

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