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JULY 4th

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Moment—Mardi Gras Parade a
Success—Ball to Finish.

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Is this Main 1741?

Yes sir!

Who won those two fine pianos?

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How can a person get a number?

By buying five dollars worth of clothes at Wise's.

Alright, goodbye.

Herman Wise

TERSE TALES OF THE TOWN

Orkwitz sells skat. tf.

Get your supply fireworks at Svenson's.

National Bicycle for sale at Orkwitz.

Going Away.—Furniture for sale. Apply to 361 Duane street. 6-28-1w.

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

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Hotel Irving, corner Franklin avenue and Eleventh street. European plan; best rooms and board in the city at reasonable prices.

Made Declaration.—Johan Salin, of Finland yesterday filed his declaration of intention, with County Clerk Clinton in the matter of his future citizenship.

How Do I look.—To really see yourself as others see you, get one of those new style mirrors at Hart's Drug Store; all prices. A new supply just received. tf.

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

The St. Agnes' Guild will give a moonlight excursion to McGowan's beach on Monday evening, July 9, leaving Astoria at 7:30 p. m. Round trip tickets 75 cents. Watch the papers for further notice. 7-4-1t.

Dies in Hospital.—Isaac Nordlund, who was brought over to the St. Mary's hospital a short time ago suffering from blood poison, died yesterday afternoon. The deceased was aged about 40 years. Arrangements for the funeral have not yet been made.

Balloon Ascension.—The great crowd that had waited patiently for two hours yesterday afternoon to see the balloon rise, went away disappointed, as just as the great gas bag was ready to be cut loose, a big hole was torn by the wind in the top, and the ascension had to be abandoned. Today at 10 a. m. the aeronaut will make another attempt to get off the earth for the edification of the public.

HOEFLER'S
HANDSOMEST
SWEET
SHOP

OUR STORE WILL
CLOSE AT 11:30
TODAY

NO DELIVERY

JOHNSON
BROS.

Fell Off The Track.—The police yesterday morning found a man by the name of Gust Hantalla lying just under the railroad track near the plant of the Warren Packing Company. He was removed to the station and when he had recovered from his over supply of liquor, stated that he believed he had been struck by someone. The man however had evidently become intoxicated and attempted to walk the trestle, with the result that he lost his balance and fell 20 feet down into the soft mud, which probably accounts for the fact that he was not hurt more seriously. Had the tide been in when he fell, the man would have been drowned in all likelihood.

Five More Deeds.—There were filed at the county clerk's office yesterday, the following five deeds, in addition to the other instruments sent in for public record: D. H. Welch and wife to Julius T. Jacobs, warranty, \$10 lots 5 and 6, block 130, Shively's Addition to Astoria. The State of Oregon to T. G. Farrell, \$287.46, for 95.82 acres of tide-lands in Clatsop county. The Grimes Grove Land Company to R. B. McCluney, warranty, \$275, lot 15, block 10, Grimes' Grove. U. S. Bryant to the Portland Timber Company, warranty, \$5, the S. W. 1/4 of section 8, T. 4 N., R. 6 W. W. L. Robb to Frank Patton, warranty, \$1, blocks 1 to 9, inclusive in Robb's Addition to Astoria.

Miniature Panic.—Last evening while Fred Purinton, the illustrated song artist at the Star was rendering his selection, the fire department wagon went by and the loud clanging of the bell, and the shouts of fire by the crowd outside, caused the audience to become frightened, and with one accord everyone made a mad rush for the exits. The wide doors on the west side of the building were locked but the terrified people burst them open in spite of the protests of Mr. Purinton, and others that there was no danger, and reached the street. One woman was reported to have been seriously trampled on in the jam.

Assault And Battery.—A young fellow by the name of Carl Brown was arrested yesterday on a charge of assault and battery upon a Chinaman, and was haled into Justice Goodman's court, where an inquiry into the affair resulted in the imposition and collection of a fine of \$14. Brown had a chum who was implicated in the assault, but he was too drunk to give any account of himself in the premises, and will therefore languish in jail over the "glorious fourth," and appear for examination tomorrow.

To Succeed McKee.—A. A. Cleveland of Astoria, now teaching at Worcester, Mass., has been tendered the position of principal of the Eugene High School to succeed Professor W. C. McKee, who has recently been chosen superintendent at Oregon City. Mr. Cleveland is a graduate of the University of Oregon, with the class of 1898, and was formerly principal of the Astoria schools.

Fire Alarm.—The residence of Patrick Shay, 364 Harrison avenue, was the scene of a small fire last night, when by some means not definitely known, but thought to have been the lighting of a skyrocket on the roof, the shingles became ignited. The department was called out, but their services were not needed as the blaze was extinguished without them.

Will Now Work Up.—Albert Leinoen, who was sent to the penitentiary from this city, on July 8, 1905, upon a proven charge of assault with a dangerous weapon, has served his time with all abatements for good behavior, has been released, and he returned here last night. He has secured a god position attending a donkey engine at Woodland, Wash., and will now proceed to make good at all points.

Why don't you have your work done by the Eastern Painting & Decorating Company, 75 Ninth street? They do the work cheaper, quicker and better than any other firm. The Parker House which is being papered and painted from cellar to garret is being done by them. Go and inspect the work.

Morning Astorian, 65 cents per month.

With yesterday's dawn the excruciating heat of Monday had vanished and the first day of Astoria's celebration broke clear and crisp and beautiful, an ideal day for the pleasures scheduled in honor of the nation's independence.

The city presented a pretty sight with the lavish and artistic displays of bunting adorning many of its homes and commercial houses, and the spirit of the day seemed acutely alive. Trains and steamers landed bevy of pleasure-seekers from all points and this kept up until all the night schedules had been met.

The official program of the day opened at 1:30 p. m. when the parade of the school children to the city park was formed at Tenth and Commercial streets, its destination being the new park just south of the city and beyond the water works, the dedication of which had been put off for this day and date.

Grand Marshal A. L. Clark, assisted by Harvey Allen, Stanley Young and Donald Stuart, as mounted aides, had full charge of the affair, and at two o'clock promptly, the cavalcade made its start for the park, in the following order:

Grand Marshal Clark and Aides.
Band of fourteen pieces. Astoria Musicians' Union.

Barouche, in which were Hon. Herman Wise, mayor of Astoria; Hon. Thomas A. McBride, circuit judge; Rev. W. Seymour Short, chaplain of the day; City Surveyor A. S. Tee, official custodian of the park.

Carriage, containing John E. Gratke and family.

Carriage containing August Hildebrand and family.

School children on foot.

The beautiful park site was reached promptly at 3 o'clock and fully 500 people were in, waiting, none of whom were deterred from marching by the hot weather experiences of the day before, and which, it was feared might be repeated yesterday afternoon.

No time was lost in carrying out the exercises of the hour once the grounds were reached, and to the strains of "America," by the band, the stars and stripes were raised to the top of the children's flag-staff and by the children themselves.

Prayer was then offered by Rev. Wm. Short wholly applicable to the hour and the event after which the band played, and the people sang "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean."

Mayor Wise then gave a brief history of the park site, its location and choice, the initial steps of its development; and spoke in kindly, glowing terms of its future as a pleasure ground for thousands yet unborn. He spoke of the necessities of work, the rarer duty of fighting, and all the arduous task of man, and bade the people remember there was something else in life beside work and struggle and contention, and that was play, relaxation, enjoyment and rest; and to these latter phases of human indulgence the park was then, and forever, devoted and dedicated.

After the mayor had closed Mr. Gratke took a snapshot of the scene, and the people slowly dispersed, to seek such further enjoyment as the place afforded.

By twos, and threes and dozens they traversed the descending routes to the city to be in time for the other daylight features of the day's program of sports, such as the aerial day-fire-works, and the balloon ascension. The latter event did not take place at all, and many were seriously disappointed in the failure of this spectacular feature.

The aerial fire-works were despatched by Chairman Max Pohl, at Eleventh and Duane streets, and were genuinely interesting.

The Mardi Gras parade last night drew hundreds of people on the streets, and proved a great success. The unique and monstrous creations and costumes were the cause of much amusement, and was one of the best features of the celebration thus far. Maud, the colored supplement mule, was in evidence, and her comical antics were hugely enjoyed by the crowd. After the parade the committee awarded the prizes for the best make-ups, as follows:
First prize—"Maud," Andrew Brunald and Mr. Gregory.
Second prize—"Made in Oregon," L.

Grams and C. Larson.

Third prize—"Irish leader of police force," Neil Crosby.

Boys under sixteen, first and third prizes—"Police Force," R. E. Dinginger, George Reifel, Wesley, Henry Jeldness, Dick Wilson, Seth Hall, and Anselm Jackson.

Second prize—Goat and carriage Geo. Tagg.

The masked ball in Logan's hall in the evening proved a big attraction and there was a large attendance.

In Probate Court.—Two orders were made in probate court yesterday by Judge Trenchard, namely, in the estate of Edward Riderbusch, deceased, approving the account of the administrator; and in the estate of John Bruning, deceased, setting Tuesday, August 14th, next as the time for hearing and passing upon the final account of Administrator W. C. A. Pohl.

Dorcas Picnic.—All aboard for the Dorcas picnic this morning. Steamer leaves Fisher's wharf at 9 o'clock. The excursion party will return in the evening to see the fireworks in the city and partake in the evening's celebration. The launch Louise will make a trip at noon to accommodate such as cannot come with the morning boat.

Licensed And Married.—County Clerk Clinton yesterday issued a wedding license in favor of Mr. Edgar P. Banta and Miss Elizabeth Schenaker, both of this county; and shortly afterward, Justice Goodman was called upon to unite these happy people in the bonds of matrimony, under civic provisions.

School Board Meets.—The school board met last evening in the city hall and swore in F. J. Taylor as a member of the board for another term. On account of the celebration the board did not transact any other business, but adjourned until next Tuesday night.

No Paper Tomorrow.—Owing to the fact that this is the Fourth, and that the employes may be given an opportunity to celebrate with the rest of the citizens, the Astorian will not issue tomorrow morning.

Extra Officers.—In order to check any boisterousness which might occur, Chief Gammal has appointed four special officers to act today.

LIBERTY GIRLS.

All the girls that have been appointed to ride in the Liberty car today, are requested to be at headquarters not later than 12:30 to receive their flags. L. E. Selig, secretary Fourth of July Committee.

FLOWERS IN PROFUSION.

The Columbia nursery, which is now being managed by Ole Erickson on Bond street has all of the choicest flowers grown, and he is easily able to supply the Fourth of July demand. If you want to get the best flowers, and flowers grown in Clatsop county, and not shipped in, patronize Mr. Erickson's place on Bond street. They are the freshest and best in the market. 7-3-2t.

REMEMBER THE PLACE.

Fine hats at the Bonton Millinery store, 483 Bond street. Mrs. Jaloff, milliner. tf.

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