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TERSE TALES OF THE TOWN

Orkwitz sells skat.—*tf.*

Sea shell souvenirs at Svenson's.

National Bicycle for sale at Orkwitz.

Read what Ellers' Piano House has to say in this issue.

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

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

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, mattress making a specialty and all work guaranteed.

Another Enterprise.—Contractor C. C. Masten, of this city, is reported as busily engaged in driving the foundation piles of a big new cannery at Clifton for D. Falangas, at that place. The more the merrier.

Tied down to his desk in the office.

While others are free and at play, Papa fancies he is having a vacation.

While drinking Rocky Mountain Tea, Frank Hart, druggist.

After the Deputy.—Constable Sayer is expected to return today from Portland where he went to arrest Deputy Sheriff Frank Batty, accused of drawing a gun on Jack Adams of this city on Sunday last.

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.

Small Blaze.—Last night about nine o'clock flames were discovered issuing from the residence of Dell Duncan at the corner of Ninth and Duane streets, opposite the Holden House. An alarm was turned in, but the fire department's services were not needed, the neighbors having succeeded in extinguishing the fire with a few buckets of water. The fire originated from a defective flue. The roof was slightly damaged.

HOEFLER'S HANDSOMEST SWEET SHOP

PURE APPLE CIDER

50c Per Gallon

TRY IT

JOHNSON BROS.

GOOD GOODS.

A Lively Railroad.—The Oregon Timber Company is engaged in building a four-mile spur as a feeder to their main line on the Mill Creek, near Clifton, and when completed they will have nearly ten miles of road through the woods of that country. Their main line is four miles long, and is standard gauge, served with 40-pound rails and a forty-ton Climax engine. The road is one of the heaviest in the northwest so far as grades are concerned, the elevation ranging from four to nine feet to the mile. The down-haul is made by gravity, and the operation calls for all the nerve that Engineer Gillette possesses. He brings down 30 logs at a time, aggregating nearly 60,000 feet to the trip. It takes just 15 minutes to make the down run from the high terminus to the low. This compares favorably with the fast train on the "A. & C." alluded to in these columns yesterday.

Degree of Honor.—The Grand Lodge, Degree of Honor, A. O. U. W., is in its 12th annual session in Portland. Mrs. Sarah A. Fastabend, of Astoria, presides. The election of officers will probably take place this afternoon. There was a good attendance at yesterday morning's session. Degrees were conferred upon 62 past chiefs. Mrs. Margaret E. Herrin, of Portland, gave the opening address and introduced the superior chief of honor, Mrs. Mamie Wagley Briggs. Committees appointed are: Credentials—Ada M. Kuykendall, Eugene; Nora B. Jacobs, McMinnville; Rose, Rexford, Lebanon. Distribution—Ora Cosper, Dallas; Maud Russell, Jefferson; Emma Cyrus, Astoria. Press reporter—May R. Moorhead, Junction City. Marjorie Caulfield, of Oregon City, was appointed assistant clerk.

Realty Titles Passing.—The following deeds were filed for record at the office of County Clerk Clinton, yesterday, along with a lot of other matters destined for the public books. E. M. Grimes and wife to Otto J. Kramer, warranty, \$1, parcel of land in Railroad Addition to Ocean Grove. H. Fleckenstein and wife and R. L. Jeffrey and wife to Clark Stratton, warranty, \$100, lot 4, block 3, Inglenook.

Dies in Astoria.—Peter Sofmanson, of this city, died early yesterday morning after an extended illness at the age of 60 years. The deceased had lived in this city for more than 30 years. A widow and a number of children survive him. The funeral will take place under the auspices of the Scandinavian Benevolent Society. The exact time for the funeral has not yet been decided on, and will be announced later.

Catch Improved.—The run of salmon was reported to have been somewhat better yesterday than usual, though the catch is by no means great. Fishermen near Tongue Point state that a good many large fish were in evidence there and at the entrance to Young's Bay gill-nets succeeded in bringing in a number. Although the signs are favorable for an early beginning of the big run.

Centre of Attraction.—Nowadays the children of Astoria are happy for the Merry-Go-Round is in town. Even the older people are not immune from this never-tiring attraction and during the hours when the merry-go-round is in operation the large circular tent is crowded. All the children save their nickels for the ride on the wooden ponies.

Funeral Yesterday.—Yesterday afternoon from the Pohl funeral parlors, the funeral services of the late Jules McCleave, were conducted. Rev. Father Waters of the St. Mary's Catholic church officiating. The interment was in Greenwood cemetery.

Give Dance.—On Saturday night in Logan's Hall, there will be a dance given for the benefit of the Brown baseball team. Everyone is invited to be present. The admission is 75 cents for gentlemen, and ladies free.

Shipped to Portland.—Last evening the remains of the late Frank Overland the young man drowned Sunday at Svensen, were sent to Portland, where the funeral services and burial will take place.

DID THE RIGHT THING.

Fourth of July Committee Tries to Compensate Soldiers.

With a natural desire to give expression of appreciation of the courtesy shown it by the officers and men of the army posts hereabout in sending up the detachments to take part in the Fourth of July parade, the committee in charge lately sent to the commanding officer at Fort Stevens an order on the local treasurer for the sum of \$50, which had been appropriated for that purpose; and yesterday morning Secretary L. E. Selig received the following letter, with the order enclosed therein, which fully explains itself and closes the matter for good and all:

"Fort Stevens, Ore., July 14, 1906.
"Mr. L. E. Selig, Secretary of Committee, Astoria, Oregon.

"Dear Sir:—I have to acknowledge the receipt of your favor of the 13th instant enclosing a draft for \$50.00 for the service of the command taking part in the exercises in your city on the 4th instant.

"In reply I have to state that while fully appreciating the kindness and courtesy which prompted your committee in sending the amount I am satisfied that the War Department would not sustain me in accepting any money for the services referred to as the officers and men of the Army are the servants of the people, and the army is amply paid and supported by them, and having been ordered by the proper authority to perform the duty indicated, this becomes their proper duty for which they have no right to expect or receive any extra compensation, and it would manifestly be erroneous on my part to encourage any feeling of that character.

"Very truly yours,
"J. H. WALKER,
"Lieutenant-Colonel, Artillery Corps, Commanding."

MUST HAVE HELP.

Uncle Sam Needs Assistance in Carrying on Work of the Government.

The following big list of government positions to be attained through the civil service department ought to invite the attention of hundreds of young people throughout the northwest who are looking for something definite and fairly remunerative. The positions listed below are amenable to all applicants for examination before Secretary C. T. Crosby, of the Astoria district of the civil service department, upon the dates named in connection with each, as follows:

- July 21, 1906—Inspector of meat products (400 vacancies to fill).
- July 25, 1906—Clerk-carrier, post-office service. This should be looked into at once, as there will be two such appointments made by September 1st, for the Astoria office.
- August 1, 1906—Interpreter, male (Syrian, Greek, and Bulgarian).
- August 8, 1906—Railway mail clerk.
- August 8, 1906—Fish culturist, bureau of fisheries.
- August 8, 1906—Marine fireman.
- August 8, 9, 1906—Architectural and structural steel draughtsman.
- August 8, 9, 1906—Surveyor in Philippine service.
- August 15, 1906—Marine fireman, customs service, Astoria, Oregon.
- August 15, 1906—Painter.
- August 15, 1906—Farmer, with knowledge of irrigation.
- August 15, 16, 1906—Architectural draughtsman, male, Philippine service.
- August 22, 1906—Engineer, bureau of science, Philippine Islands.
- September 5, 1906—Internal revenue service examination.

All applicants should address Mr. Crosby in these matters, at the custom house, in this city.

Done By Injunction.—I. B. Hazlett, of Seaside, has sued E. T. Pherneton, of that place, for the recovery of the use of a certain theatre building, scenery and other theatrical supplies, and has stopped the use of them by an injunction; which process was served on Monday night by Sheriff M. R. Pomeroy in person. The matter will be tried out in the circuit court later on.

For eruptions, sores, pimples, kidney and liver troubles, constipation, indigestion, use Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Carries new life to every part of the body. Tea or Tablets, 35 cents. Frank Hart, druggist.

Pay Dog Licenses.—The appointment of J. H. O'Neil as dog catcher, has caused owners of canines to fear for their dog's lives and yesterday ten persons took out the necessary license, and others will undoubtedly follow. Mr. O'Neil says he is going after all loose and unlicensed animals, and the surplus of dogs in this city will undoubtedly be materially reduced in the near future.

Removes the microbes which impoverish the blood and circulation. Stops all troubles that interfere with nutrition. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. Tea or Tablets, 35 cents. Frank Hart, druggist.

PADDY IS PARDONED

Governor Chamberlain Frees the Great Crimp.

SERVES ONE THIRD OF TIME

History of Whole Affair—List of Signers of Lynch's Petition—Names of Protestants—Brief Record of the Man's Crimes.

The news of the pardon granted to P. J. Lynch, the notorious crimp, by Governor George E. Chamberlain, on Monday, was received in this city with astonishment, not to say chagrin, yesterday, by hundreds of prominent people who looked upon his conviction and incarceration, as the acme of simple justice and hoped for its utter fulfillment.

The following account of the whole matter published in yesterday morning's issue of the Salem Statesman, throws a bit of light on the transaction not currently known here and likely to be remembered at an opportune moment in the future:

"By virtue of the pardoning power exercised by Governor Chamberlain, P. J. Lynch, better known as 'Paddy,' the notorious keeper of the sailor-boarding-house, is today a free man. His sentence of eight years penal servitude was commuted yesterday afternoon and he departed for Portland today.

"Paddy Lynch, at whose door has been laid the blame for the kidnapping, shanghaiing, and crimping of numerous innocent and unsuspecting persons, convicted of complicity in the kidnapping and shanghaiing of O. W. Gardier, who was spirited aboard the British ship Folesdale, March 14, 1903, was sent to the penitentiary for a term of eight years in April, 1903. He was jointly indicted and convicted with Theodore Tobinson, who received a one year sentence.

"Governor Chamberlain's reasons for exercising executive clemency in his case were:

"The petition of the citizens and business men of Astoria; grave doubts as to his guilt of this particular crime; if guilty he has been sufficiently punished; the co-defendant, convicted at the same time, got off with only one year; excellent deportment since he has been in prison and the precarious condition of his health, and the recommendation of the former prison chaplains, Fathers Moore and Murphy, of this city.

"The signers of the petition are: "Thomas Dealey, city treasurer; O. Anderson, auditor and police judge; Jas. N. Laws, representative; J. H. Hansen, member common council; A. D. Craig, James Keating, H. Wise, president regatta committee; J. W. Surprenant, mayor of Astoria; J. E. Campbell, representative and pilot commissioner; C. J. Curtis, ex-representative; S. S. Gordon, cashier First National Bank; O. I. Peterson, firm of Peterson & Brown; A. B. Hager, manager Star theatre; Andrew Birch, one of the jurymen; Leander Lebeck, alderman; H. L. Henderson, physician; George Kaboth, alderman; Chas. C. Brown, Peterson & Brown; F. D. Winton, attorney.

"Strenuous objections were made to the granting of the pardon by British Vice-Consul P. L. Cherry, Sheriff Thomas Linville, of Clatsop county, and W. Osborne of Minneapolis, Minn. Consul Cherry cities in his remonstrance the noticeable lack of practice of shanghaiing since Lynch was convicted and says the desertions and kidnapping previous to his incarceration as shown by the records, were 128 in 1900-1901; 190 in 1902; and 77 in 1903, and there was only one case in 1904.

"Of these cases he relates that of W. W. Osborne, a young Englishman, appeared in Algoa Bay, South Africa; who was shanghai'd at Astoria, and a Highlander came to meet his wife in Astoria, disappeared and reported from Queenstown that he had been shanghai'd. His wife was in destitute circumstances. Another boy came from across the Columbia river and was heard of no more until he reported from Australia.

"W. Osborne wrote a personal letter to the governor stating that he had been shanghai'd and shipped on the British bark Musselreag, March 4, 1903, shipped to Port Elizabeth, South Africa and then to Sydney, New South Wales, before he was released."

Shortage of Gasoline.—It is said that the amount of gasoline now stored in the city is extremely limited, and that unless a new supply arrives soon users of this product will be in a serious predicament. Already a number of motor boats are said to be unable to operate on account of the lack of gasoline with which to run them.

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SALE TO CONTINUE FOR THE NEXT FEW DAYS. YOU ARE INVITED TO COME AND INSPECT THEM.

SCORES ANOTHER HIT.

Mr. Willard Holds Crowded House Spell-Bound With His Acting.

Again Mr. Willard scored a hit in his wonderful impersonation of "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," and the audience were held spell-bound by his most excellent and clever interpretation of the part. The last performance of "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" will be given tonight and on Thursday night the great melodrama, "State's Evidence," will take the boards at the Star theatre. This play had the most phenomenal run in London of any play produced, being played for over 18 months on a straight run. The beauty of "State's Evidence" is that it has a great deal of good comedy and the audience can enjoy a real good laugh.

A dispatch from Washington says that Secretary Shaw wants more \$5 bills. So do most of us.

MILLINERY.

Big clearance sale of ladies' and children's trimmed hats, street hats, shirt waists, and notions. Mrs. R. Ingletton, Welch block, opposite Budget office, 17-3t

Modest Claims Often Carry the Most Conviction.

When Maxim, the famous gun inventor, placed his gun before a committee of judges, he stated its carrying power to be below what he felt sure the gun would accomplish. The result of the trial was therefore a great surprise, instead of disappointment. It is the same with Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. They not publicly boast of all this remedy will accomplish, but prefer to let the users make the statements. What they do claim, is that it will positively cure diarrhoea, dysentery, pains in the stomach and bowels and has never been known to fail. For sale by Frank Hart, letting druggists.