

"QUEEN ANN"

Flour produces cakes and pastry of exquisite lightness. Flaky pie crust, airy biscuits and bread that is better than bakers produce.

"QUEEN ANN FLOUR"

Goes further, too, than common kinds. There's None just as good. Try a sack with your next order

ROSS, HIGGINS & CO.

HEADQUARTERS FOR GOOD THINGS TO EAT.

TERSE TALES OF THE TOWN

Orkuits covers umbrellas!

New souvenir postals at Svenson's.

Dell B. Scully, Notary Public, at Scully's Cigar Store. Any old hour!

Ice Cream made from full cream, 15c per pint. Special prices for lodges and churches, at Tagg's confectionary. 7-10-1f

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

For Rent—Nicely furnished front room, ground floor. Inquire 208 Bond street.

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.

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

The children are staying at grandpa's. Mama has gone down to the sea; Papa is at home working. Keeping well with Rocky Mountain Tea. For sale by Frank Hart. sep

Are your bones aching, nerves tired, nights restless, kidney and liver trouble, energy low? These are signs of low vitality. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well. Tea or Tablets, 35 cents. For sale by Frank Hart. sep

Madam A. Marron, Hotel Irving, Franklin Ave. and 11th St., Room 43. Electric scalp treatment and facial massage and shampoo and hair dressing. Done reasonably. Call day and evenings. Dyeing and bleaching. 2t

One More Aspirant—Another aspirant for civic honors made his formal declaration of intention in the matter of his American citizenship, before County Clerk Clinton yesterday, to-wit: Edward Gammal, a nephew of Police Chief Charles Gammal of this city.

It's the only medicine known that penetrates into every organ of the body and stays there. It's the best tonic in the world—Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Tea or Tablets, 35 cents. For sale by Frank Hart. sep

Commercial Saloon—This popular place, situated at 509 Commercial street, is up-to-date in every particular. The choicest of wines and all kinds of liquors can be procured here. Best quality cigars. Billiard table in connection. If you can't come in person, call up Phone 1231 Main.

Why don't you have your work done by us and we do house lining, wall papering, house and sign painting. We use and recommend the Heath & Milligan prepared paints. For over two score years it has been recognized as the standard paint of America. Come and let us figure with you. The Eastern Painting & Decorating Co., 365 Commercial street. tf.

HILLS BROS.' COFFEES

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED THE FIRST SHIPMENT OF HILL BROS' FAMOUS MOCHA AND JAVA COFFEE (PUT UP IN VACUUM TINS) THAT HAS ARRIVED SINCE THE SAN FRANCISCO FIRE, AND WILL NOW BE ABLE TO SUPPLY IT TO OUR TRADE THE SAME AS BEFORE. EVERY POUND IS GUARANTEED.

JOHNSON BROS.

GOOD GOODS.

DEALERS IN EDISON PHONOGRAPHS AND SUPPLIES.

MEETING OF CHARTER COMMISSION

IMPORTANT AMENDMENTS FILED AT MEETING LAST NIGHT—ALL CHANGES BARRED AFTER NEXT SESSION—TIME IS SHORT.

Last evening at the City Hall occurred the deferred regular meeting of the charter commission and the following members were present: Mayor Wise, P. Sanderson, Thos. Dealey, C. A. Leinenweber, W. C. Logan, J. C. McCue, Angus Brix, Wm. Ross, Matt. Nyland, H. M. Lorentsen, and J. E. Gratke.

Secretary first read the minutes of the last meeting which were approved. There being no reports of committees the next thing in order was the introduction of three amendments to the city charter. These amendments were prepared by Attorney A. M. Smith and owing to the fact that Mr. Smith was absent from the city, their discussion and adoption was postponed until the next regular meeting of the commission.

Several amendments to the city charter, which had been introduced at the last meeting, and were to be either rejected or adopted at this meeting, were laid on the table until the next session when it was hoped a larger number would be present.

A motion was made and carried that there be no amendments to the city charter introduced later than at the next regular meeting, and in the meantime it was unanimously agreed to by the members to make an earnest effort toward becoming familiar with the charter, in order that they might be better able to pass upon same.

A resolution was introduced changing the boundaries of the wards of the city, the object being the equalization of representation in the council. This resolution excited no little earnest discussion on the part of all members present and several motions were made to alter the present limits of the respective wards, but were withdrawn on the suggestion of Mayor Wise, that it would be best to devote more time to a study of the subject before any changes were made. At the next meeting the subject will come up and the question of ward boundaries will be settled.

Another resolution introduced was one to allow the city to have exclusive control of all the liquor houses and make the city the owner of them. This matter also was laid over until the next meeting. Then followed a resolution to make the mayor a member of the police commission, which was deferred until a later date. The meeting then adjourned until the regular session in course.

At the Treasury—City Treasurer Thomas Dealey yesterday reported the sum of \$5,049.60 turned in by way of duplicate receipts in behalf of collections for street improvement and the further sum of \$6,000 paid out on account of current obligations of the city in answer to the recent official call of the treasurer.

On Friday, if Clear—The Sunday school of Grace Episcopal church will give a basket picnic on the hill on Young's Bay, on Friday, tomorrow, morning, Sept. 14, if pleasant. Scholars, and all who wish to join the party, will meet at the church at 10:30 o'clock a. m. An express wagon will be on hand to carry baskets, if necessary.

Will Report Soon—The water commission of the city of Astoria is patiently awaiting the report of Civil Engineer Arthur L. Adams, now in Oakland, upon his findings in relation to the possibilities and essentials in connection with the new developments of the water system here. The commission has abundant and proven reliance in the deductions to be made by the man who so successfully engineered the original plant, and are anxious to know his conclusions and realize upon them. Mr. Adams will likely file his general report some time next week. It will be very comprehensive and embrace all available and possible expedients for the perfecting and enlarging of the system. The water question is becoming, as to quantity, a very live issue in this growing city, but as to quality, that has been settled long, these many years to the satisfaction of all concerned.

In Police Court—Judge Anderson, at yesterday's session of the municipal court, gathered in the sum of \$160 by way of forfeitures from various and sundry people, who were due to appear and plead there in matters of police significance.

CLOTHES BOUGHT AT WISE'S PRESSED FREE OF CHARGE AS OFTEN AS YOU LIKE

ONE PIANO NUMBER WITH EVERY \$5.00 PURCHASE

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT

Advocates a more simplified method of spelling; for instance, he would say; "When U want gud guds for men Sea Herman Wise"

However it matters little how you spell it, the clothes are just as good, the Prices just as reasonable and the Same.

HERMAN WISE

BEHIND EACH ARTICLE SOLD IN HIS STORE

PERSONAL MENTION.

H. S. Parker of Eugene is in the city visiting friends.

D. W. Borden of Portland is on a business trip in the city.

F. C. Cannon, of Cincinnati, was a business visitor in Astoria yesterday.

Miss Bessie Jones of Toledo, spent yesterday in the city visiting relatives.

Miss Mary Jones of this city is visiting friends and relatives in Oregon City.

Norris B. Gregg of Portland was in the city yesterday on a business tour. C. A. Stockbridge, representing the Oliver typewriter, is in the city on a business quest.

John W. Magoon, of St. John's, is transacting business in Astoria, having arrived here yesterday.

H. G. Van Dusen was a passenger on the morning's train for Portland yesterday.

F. W. Braden, a lumber dealer, residing at Coos Bay, is doing business in Astoria.

A. B. Cloe of Cincinnati, spent the day in Astoria yesterday, transacting business matters.

T. G. Kelley of Knappa came down on the noon train yesterday on a business tour.

K. W. Miller of Myrtle Creek, arrived here yesterday, on a matter of business.

R. A. Campbell of Kansas City spent the day in this city yesterday in quest of certain business matters.

Miss L. M. Ford, of Portland, accompanied by her grandmother, were in the city yesterday and guests at the Occident.

C. M. Henry, of Portland, is visiting friends in this city and will leave in a few days for an outing at Seaside.

B. J. MacMahan, of Portland, and the Oregonian, spent a few hours in the city yesterday, during the lay-over of

the steamer Alliance in this port. He is on his way to Coos bay in the interest of the big metropolitan daily.

At the Great Hospice—There are 35 people under treatment for various ills of the flesh at St. Mary's hospital, the majority of whom are convalescent. The last timber of the old hospital on the west end of the grounds has been taken down and the good sisters look with retrospective eyes at the bare grounds where once stood the buildings that have made so noble a record in the annals of Astoria. They will have the grounds cleared immediately the debris is removed, and grassed and terraced in a fashion that will make them very attractive, not only for the robust and appreciative citizen about town and the interested visitor in Astoria, but to the ailing souls in the new edifice, and to themselves as well.

The New Astoria Theater—A lively group of excellent mechanics are doing all they know how to bring the new Astoria theater to a point of completion that will permit the grand opening on the night of Saturday, Sept. 29. And they will make it if skill, precision and good workmanship can accomplish it. The plasterers are fast spreading the last coat and the lathers are out of the way; the house is completely wired; the seating is all in readiness for final placing; the scenic arrangements are all underway, and before one knows it the handsome new house will be declared ready for its first clientele, to witness the fine production of the comic opera "Royal Chef," the box office opening for the sale of seats Thursday morning, Sept. 27.

To Roll, or Not to Roll—This is the question to be answered by the youngsters of Astoria. Herman Wise is offering, free, to all purchasers of boys' suits, a pair of roller skates, and good ones at that.

DONE BY DEED.

M. S. Warren to M. Sunderland warranty, lots 3 and 14, block 3. Hay Stack Rock Park.....\$175

A. A. Cook to Katie A. Cook, his wife, and to Archie E., Cecelia M., and Isabelle T., children, all property, real and personal. Will J. B. Houston to T. G. Rees, warranty, 153.28 acres in Section 31 T. 4 N. R. 6 W..... 1

United States to B. F. Bergen, patent, for 40 acres in Section 28, T. 5, N. R. 10 W..... 1

Elk Creek and Cannon Beach Land Co. to Felicia H. Worsly, warranty lots 9 and 10, block 5, Elk Creek Park 225

Giles Gilbert to Minnesota & Oregon Land and Timber Co., 800 acres of land in Sections 14 and 15, T. 6 N. R. 6 W.....10,000

K. Osborn and wife to Mary L. Napier, Q. C. lot 4, Sub. of Block 4, Clatsop Grove 1

STORAGE BATTERIES.

We sell the Northwestern Storage Battery, the very best on the market for automobiles, gasoline launches, etc. We have the finest and most complete charging plant for storage batteries. Recharging and repairing done. Expert workmanship. R. R. Carruthers, electrical supplies, 542 Duane street. tf.

SINGER SEWING MACHINE CO. has moved to 172 Tenth street, with a complete line of new machines. We also have a few slightly damaged machines at a bargain. Phone Black 2284. tf.

FINNISH MASSAGES.

Miss Olga Landen, Room 6, Pythian Bldg., Commercial St. Phone Black 2165.

The "American Boy" Magazine FREE to Boys

THIS excellent periodical for boys has a circulation of over 100,000 monthly. The regular subscription price is \$1.00 a year; 10c a copy. It's a big magazine, brimful of interesting reading for boys—stories and valuable articles, plentifully illustrated; and all of a good healthy tone.

HERE'S OUR OFFER: With every boy's suit at \$5.00 or less we will give free of charge, a six months subscription and with every suit at \$6.00 or over one years subscription to the "American Boy." Tell the boys about it.

S. DANZIGER & CO.

Astoria's Greatest Clothiers

ASTORIA, OREGON

