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**Come to concert—At Methodist church,** fine vocal and instrumental music. Tickets fifty cents. Benefit of church. Monday night, Nov. 14.

**Police Court—Only three cases** were filed in the police court yesterday, they being for a violation of the gambling ordinance. Bail to the amount of \$75 was declared forfeited.

**Elect Officers—The Irving Club** will hold its annual election of officers next Monday evening. After the election a banquet will be served to the members.

**Brumbach Elected—Judge J. J. Brumbach,** Democrat, was elected prosecuting attorney of Pacific county at the election held Tuesday by 250 majority.

**Bigger and Greater bargain** than ever to be had at the Great Retiring Sale of C. H. Cooper. Call now before it is too late. 11-1-1f

**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.

**Thousands of dollars worth** of reasonable and high class dry goods, clothing, furnishing goods, and all selling at half-price and less at C. H. Coopers Great Retiring Sale. 11-1-1f

**earn to Dance—Prof. Ringler** of Portland has classes every Thursday, at A. O. U. W. hall, 9th and Duane. Adults evening; children 4 p. m. All the latest dances. Waltz Glide, Three-step, etc. Social dancing 8:30 p. m. 11-2-tfeod

**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. 1f

**Do You feel sleepy and not a bit** like working in the afternoon? Perhaps it's because of the kind of lunch you're eating—too heavy an dtoo hard to digest. Why not try the Palace restaurant on Commercial street, where all the baking is done in those famous slow-process ovens, which turn out light appetizing, wholesome things? You'll save money, too.

**TO ASTORIA PEOPLE.**

Those of you who are putting it off until Saturday to attend the Great Woolen Goods Sale now going on at the Brownsville Woolen Mills store, but can come today, will not only benefit yourselves, but help us. This store has been crowded every day this week and we are expecting many out-of-town buyers, Saturday, so if you'll come today we will be able to give you better attention.

The great values being offered at this woolen goods sale in blankets, wool underwear for men and women, socks and all kinds of woolen goods, have never been equaled in Astoria.

People needing any of these goods will save money by buying them while the prices are so low.

See our ad on page eight.

**Closed Down—The Clatsop Mills** were closed down yesterday morning owing to a break in the water mains of the city. They were repaired before noon and the mill resumed operations in the afternoon.

**Lorensten Returns—H. M. Lorensten** who went to San Francisco to represent the Columbia River Fishermen's Protective Union, at a meeting of the Pacific Coast Fishermen, returned yesterday.

**Is Going Fast—Better place your** order for coal while there is plenty, for it won't last long at the present rate. Good coal is extremely hard to get and prices are climbing. Phone 1961. S. Elmore & Co., corner Ninth and Commercial. Our price now \$7.50 per ton on the wharf. 11-9-1f

**Concert by Mr. John Claire Montlieth** and Mr. Mordaunt Goodnaugh, well known in the musical circles of Portland. Be sure you hear them on Monday night, at Methodist church. Admission fifty cents; for benefit of the church.

**Pacific County—Returns complete** from the election in Pacific and Wahkiakum counties, show that Henry McGowan was elected joint senator by 140 majority. Bell, Democrat, for representative was elected by 50 majority. This is the first time in a number of years that Democratic representatives in the legislature have been elected from Pacific county.

**Big Slides—The recent severe rains** have caused tons of dirt to slide into the streets, causing considerable damage. Grand Avenue between Ninth and Tenth streets is covered with loose dirt and the contractors who are improving the street will have to move it. The sidewalk recently constructed on the south side of the street will have to be rebuilt.

**New Seaside Resort—James Finlayson,** trustee, has laid out a slightly piece of land fronting on the famous Cameron beach, subdivided into thirty two blocks, and 355 lots, under the title of "Cannon Beach Park," and the same will be presented to the county court for its official approval at an early day and then sent to the public records.

**HOT DRINKS**



**SANDWICHES**

**SENATORSCHOLFIELD IN BUSINESS**

**PURCHASED THE GROCERY BUSINESS OF JOHNSON BROS., AND WILL CARRY ON THE BUSINESS IN FUTURE AT OLD STAND.**

One of the most important business changes in Astoria is the purchase by W. T. Scholfield of the grocery business of Johnson Bros., located on 12th street. A few years ago, Fred J. and Alfred R. Johnson, who had been clerking for the Foard & Stokes Co., decided to go into business for themselves, and leased a small building on Twelfth street, the site of their present store. With a small capital, but plenty of vim and energy, their business was a winner from the start, until up to the day they sold out, they were doing the largest business of any grocery store in the city.

Mr. Scholfield for several years conducted the well known store of Scholfield & Hauke in Upper Astoria, but sold out last summer. Mr. Scholfield will assume charge of the Johnson Bros. store on December 1, and will have associated with him John R. Mattson, who was with him in the uptown store. They will endeavor to make the store, under their management, as popular as it has been under Johnson Bros., and will carry a first-class stock of staple and fancy groceries.

The Johnson brothers have not decided upon their future course. Fred, who has been in failing health, will go to California to spend the winter, returning to Astoria in the spring, and will probably engage in some line of business. Alfred Johnson will remain with the new firm until Mr. Scholfield returns from the legislature.

**Astoria Woman's Club—This popular** and useful organization will hold an important and interesting session tomorrow, Saturday, afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock in the cosy assembly room of the Red Men on Exchange street. It is earnestly desired that there shall be a rousing attendance. The meetings of the club will be held each month during the winter season, on the second Saturday of the month; and while the live question of civic improvement will constitute a leading feature of the club's deliberations, the ladies intend to devote no inconsiderable time and attention to humane work, and this means a good deal for some of the local delinquents on that score. The club this winter is under the capable guidance of Mrs. J. E. Ferguson, president.

**Sick and Convalescent—The news** from St. Mary's hospital yesterday was quite cheerful. Mrs. E. G. Miller is convalescing rapidly and will be at home in a few days; the lad, Eldon, whose left arm was so badly torn in the Knappton mill machinery a few weeks ago, is doing finely; David Smith, who is suffering from appendicitis, is still low and unable to face an operation, as yet; and last night Dr. J. A. Fulton performed a very successful operation upon Mr. Fisher, from the Hume mills, for the last named malady, and the patient is getting along admirably.

**City Election—Very little interest** is being taken in the city election as is evidenced by the small registrations. No one has been mentioned for councilman from the first ward. L. O. Belland and Axel Jacobson will be the candidates for councilmen from the third ward. The Republicans have not picked out a man to run against Herman Wise for mayor. John C. McCue and Chas. H. Abercrombie are the Republican candidates for city attorney. It was reported last evening that A. M. Smith would accept the citizen's nomination for that office, at the request of a large number of property owners.

**Bell Elected—Representative-elect** Bell of Pacific county, is in the city. Although a Democrat and running for the legislature in a Republican county, Mr. Bell's popularity resulted in his election. Complete returns with the exception of Brooklyn precinct gave him 46 majority. This precinct polls 12 votes and Mr. Bell will receive about eight of them, making his majority in the county 50. Mr. Bell has many friends in Astoria and he was the recipient of many congratulations yesterday upon his election.

**Fun at the Waldorf—The moving** pictures at the Waldorf are the best ever seen in Astoria. The present string is very realistic and full of laughable situations dealing with the snappy sights on the streets of Greater New York, and the woes of the unhappy married man in general. People are swarming to see them nightly.

**Fine Was Paid—Paul Larch,** the sailor arrested by Sheriff Pomeroy on Wednesday last for obstreperous conduct on board the ship Big Bonanza, appeared in Justice Goodman's court yesterday morning, pleaded guilty to assault, was fined \$10; paid it, and went his way.

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**HENRY J. BROCK & CO., UNION MADE CLOTHING.**

**HERMAN WISE**

**BEHIND EACH ARTICLE SOLD IN HIS STORE**

**Today and Tomorrow—There remain** but two days in which to pay the current water rate and avoid the penalty of delinquency, today and tomorrow.

**Dick Returned—Richard S. Smith** returned from an official trip to Kalamath Falls yesterday. Mr. Smith will be a candidate before the citizen's convention for the office of city attorney.

**Married at San Francisco—Word** was received in this city yesterday that Miss Ruby Huden, of this city, had been wedded in that metropolis on Thursday last, to a Mr. Johnson E. Fernald. Miss Johnson has many friends in Astoria who will wish her and her husband many happy years.

**Books Closed—The registration** books for the primary election were closed last evening at 5 o'clock. Only about one-third of the voters of the city registered. Up to 5 o'clock last evening, the registrations were 705, divided among the several precincts as follows: No. 1, 69; No. 2, 112; No. 3, 145; No. 4, 181; No. 5, 60; No. 6, 125.

**The Northshore Stork—The stork** that has charge of the lower Columbia is very busy these days. Yesterday was his northshore day and he left a hearty little eight-pound daughter at the Knappton home of Mr. and Mrs. Swepson C. Morton. Mother and babe both doing finely. But Mr. Morton's hat is unaccountably small for him all of a sudden.

**New Reading Room—The Tongue** Point Free Reading Room was opened at Alderbrook last night under the most favorable circumstances, for which great credit is due Pastor Howard, Mr. Moberg and other gentlemen and ladies of the Alderbrook Presbyterian Church. A large number of people were present. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Aug. Moberg, several hymns were sung after which a bright young girl and boy played a duet on the violin; Rev. Gilbert was then introduced and he enlightened the audience upon the benefits to be derived from free libraries, illustrating several points by humorous allusions; Mayor Herman Wise followed and delivered an interesting talk liberally seasoned with anecdotes and he was followed by Rev. Holt of Portland. Pastor Howard of the Alderbrook church concluded with a telling address, after which refreshments were served. The free reading room will be open daily from 8 until 9 p. m., and Sundays from 2 to 9 p. m., and people of every creed or country will be made welcome. The Tongue Point Reading Room is splendidly built, homelike and comfortable and is bound to make itself felt in the uplifting of the growing generation. As Mayor Wise aptly said "Libraries are the storehouses of knowledge, where men and women may lay in a supply of wisdom gathered by the best brains of the world and happy the city or state whose people not only lay up a plentiful supply of that knowledge but make use of it for their own advancement and the good of mankind.

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**Ranges, Stoves, Tinware, Crockery, Graniteware, Glassware,**

Iron and Steel Tools and Ship Chandlery. Headquarters for Hardware.

**Done in Probate—Judge Trenchard,** sitting for probate matters, yesterday made an order fixing December 14 next, as the day for hearing the final account of W. C. A. Pohl as administrator of the estate of Peter Stewart, deceased. 11-9-1f

**The Young People of the First** Presbyterian church will hold a sale and social on Friday evening of this week in the basement of the church. Refreshments, program and a good time. 11-9-1f

**The GRAND LEADER**

(Formerly New York Credit Co.)

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Special offerings this week in all departments. New and up-to-date goods are arriving every day and we are kept busy selling, because we sell good goods at low prices. You can be as well dressed as your friends by buying a suit or overcoat from us and paying for it in weekly payments.

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**RAINCOATS OVERCOATS and SUITS at \$14**

You would not wonder why we sold so many of them--If you pay \$20 at other stores you will get none better.

\$1.25 Men's All Wool Shirts and Drawers, Special 85c ea

Just received from New York Ladies' Suits and Long Coats, in latest styles and colors. See our Window Display.

**Special, Tailored Alpaca Waists, \$2.25**

The material would cost at least \$1.00 a yard. It's a \$3.50 waist for a special price of

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Large and complete line of Men's, Ladies' and Children's Shoes.

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A Few Boxes while They Last  
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