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Hotel Irving will open their dining room to boarders and transient, March 1st. New management. Rates Reasonable.

Baby Go-Carts—New stock just in Hildebrand & Gor furniture old Bee Hive Building.

J. A. Gilbaugh & Company, Undertakers, 549 Duane street, corner of Twelfth.

Tax Collections—Tax collections up to close of business last evening showed the faint rise of a total of \$40,000.

Five Cents to \$3.00—When you feel like "sponging" a bit, drop into Frank Hart's drug store and buy a sponge. You can find just what you want, from 5 cents to \$3.00 per sponge.

Police Court—The grand jury has been dissolved and the gambling games are once more running. Fourteen of the green cloth fraternity, thirteen of whom were chinese, forfeited \$25 bail apiece yesterday by non-appearance in police court.

Drawing Class Today—Mrs. M. F. Woods, of Portland, who was in the city on Saturday last organizing an art class will meet with the members today at the home of Mrs. Busby, No. 647 Franklin avenue, at 2 p. m. All who are interested in any line of art, drawing, water colors, oils, pastels and modelling, are invited to be present. Terms in this relation are very reasonable.

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 and too 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.

For Electric Service—Installation or repair work, go to J. S. Vernon, electrician, No. 467 Exchange street, telephone, Main 2443. All manner of electric and telephone work done at short notice.

Singer Sewing Machine Co.—Just received a new stock of Singer and Wheeler & Wilson machines, all the latest styles. Repairing and cleaning of all makes of machines a specialty, come and give us a trial, 172-10th St.

For Germany—On this morning's express for Portland, Mrs. Charles H. Rohr and two children leave out for the long trans-continental trip and trans-Atlantic voyage that shall land them back in old Germany, where they go on a home visit. Their friends in Astoria wish them a jolly trip and a safe return.

Attention Ladies—Miss and Mrs. you are invited to attend our grand opening of the swellest and most up to date line of millinery ever shown in the city of Astoria, next Saturday March 9th, 11th, and 12th, at Mrs. Minnie Peterson's in the Star Theatre Building, corner of Commercial and 11th street.

Good Time at Skamokawa—Fifty six members of the Astoria Skating club came in yesterday morning at 2 o'clock on the Callender steamer Melville from a night of sheer enjoyment at the new skating rink just opened at Skamokawa. Every one who was up with the party declares it was one of the most enjoyable affairs of the present winter season.

Dainty Foot-Gear At Cost—Ladies with a penchant for elegant foot-wear, especially in the line of slippers, (and who of them is without it?), will be glad to know that Charles V. Brown has just put 300 pairs of these elegant accessories on his coat-tilt and will dispose of them at that standard until the last pair goes out. There are bargains, galore!

Opens on Monday—Yesterday the halls of justice, as presided over by Hon. Thomas A. McBride, to wit, the circuit court were silent and deserted, Judge McBride having gone to his Oregon City home for an over Sunday visit. He will return on Monday morning next, and reconvene the court, and

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perhaps the first thing on the docket will be the arrangement of C. Roy Fox.

Arch-Bishop Christie Here—Arch-Bishop Christie, of the Catholic church, came down from the metropolis yesterday to meet Rev. Father Dieleman of this city, who is seriously ill with heart failure.

Ill at Hospital—Mrs. Katherine Puskala of Deep River is at present at St. Mary's hospital where she sustained an operation yesterday morning. Her many friends in this city will be glad to hear that her recovery seems assured.

Suddenly Ill—Miss Anna Leahy was taken suddenly ill with appendicitis on Thursday, and was taken to St. Mary's hospital last evening when she was operated on last night successfully. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Leahy, of Olney.

Died at Hammond—Harry Glanz, the fourteen year old son of P. J. Glanz, electrician at Fort Stevens died yesterday morning at eight o'clock after an illness of three days. The exact nature of the illness is not known, but is attributed to a congestional disorder. The funeral will take place from the residence of the parents next Sunday, immediately after the arrival of the noon train. Rev. Father Waters will conduct the services and interment will be at the post cemetery.

Will Manage Himself—In view of the recent public comment on the status of the Waldorf concert hall, a reporter of the Astorian asked Charles F. Wise yesterday, what he intended doing in the matter, and received the following response from Mr. Wise: "I intend to take over the direct management of the Waldorf into my own hands; Mr. Wilbur will cease to direct it. I propose to so conduct it as to avoid, in the future, any such complaints as have come up in the past and you may say as much for me, if you care to do so."

Old Landmark Gone—Yesterday morning the famous old porch that for nearly forty years fronted the Hotel Occident, in this city, and from which, Grant, Sheman, Hayes, and a host of other notables in the days that are gone, have addressed the assembled thousands of Astorians, was pulled down, and swept aside into the limbo of all old wreckage. The street along the old hotel looks to be twenty feet wider for the change. The hotel will now be thoroughly overhauled and re-plastered, and not without need.

A "Hiawatha" Relic—A friend handed into this office yesterday a slip of white birch bark, about the thickness of an ordinary sheet of paper, with the assurance that he cut it from the walls of the well preserved cabin in the hills about Manitoulin island, the Lake Huron resort of the poet Longfellow, and the beautiful spot in which he thought and inscribed the lovely legends of "Hiawatha." It peels in filmy, lacy sheets yet, so thin that they cannot be handled, but flutter about with every breath that reaches their dainty wood is of a creamy yellow and faintly marked with tracings of delicate red, at intervals, horizontally, like pencils marks.

Preliminary Debate—The first preliminary debate of the Astoria high school was held yesterday afternoon. These preliminaries are to try out debaters for the Eugene-Astoria high school debate to be held probably next month. The question debated was: Resolved: that the United States should no longer maintain the principles of the Monroe Doctrine." On the affirmative were Stanley Young, Sidney Sovey, and Yvon Guellume. The negative were: Jennie Jeffers, Agnes Karlson and Birdie Wise. The judges appointed were Mrs. Gearhart, Dr. Fulton and J. H. Smith. Dr. Fulton was unable to be present, but the other judges listened to the debate with interest and praised the work highly, declaring that the participants were so well matched that it was nearly a toss up between them. A good grasp of the subject was shown and the presentation was excellent. Those finally selected to hold the field next Friday were: Birdie Wise, Yvan Guellume, and Jennie Jeffers.

PERSONAL
C. P. McGinnis came down from Portland yesterday on timber business.
C. L. Yarbrough of Rainier was in Astoria yesterday.
E. Hennington of Stella is visiting in this city.
George Myers of Portland was in Astoria yesterday.
Walter C. Smith was down from the metropolis yesterday for a short trip.
Robert J. Kirkwood, formerly of this city, but now of Eugene, was a business visitor in Astoria yesterday.

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IN THE CITY CHURCHES.

Services at Grace church Sunday at 8 a. m. and 11 a. m., Sunday school at 12:30, evening prayer will be held at half past seven. Rev. Seymour Short, pastor.

Alderbrook Presbyterian. Morning worship at 10 o'clock, Sunday school at 11-Y. P. S. C. E. 7:30 p. m. strangers will find a cordial welcome to these services.

Warrenton Presbyterian. Sunday school at 10:30 a. m., evening worship at 7:30, come and help in the service of song.

Lutheran Synod. At the Norwegian Lutheran Synod church Cor., 29th & Grand avenue. Services tomorrow morning at 10:45, evening service at 7:30, Sunday school meets at 9:30. Theo. P. Neste, pastor.

First Lutheran. Gustave E. Rydquist, pastor, morning service at 10:45; Service and Sunday school in English at the German Lutheran church on Grand avenue at 2 and 3 o'clock respectively; Evening service at the Uppertown church in English at 7:30. Themes for tomorrow's services: "Christ feeding the Five Thousand;" "An ungrateful people;" and "Nourish or Perish." This evening (Saturday) the ladies of the aid society of the church give their semi-annual sale and social in the parlors of the church. All are cordially invited.

First Methodist. Sermon themes: Morning, "The Bible and Human Intellect." Evening, "The closing of the First Scene in the Drama of the World, or, The End of the World." Sunday school at 12:15, Epworth League at 6:30. The theme at the mid-week service Wednesday evening will be "The Philosophy of Prayer." C. C. Barick, pastor.

Norwegian Danish Methodist. The Norwegian M. E. church, 27 and Duane st., Sunday school at 10 o'clock sharp. Preaching by Rev. C. August Pedersen from Vashon Wash. At 8 p. m. there will be a meeting in the interest of Temperance at which Rev. S. August Pedersen will speak. Every Thursday night at 8 o'clock, general prayer meeting. The Scandinavian people are heartily invited to attend the services. Elias Gjerding, pastor. (phone 2675 red.)

Congregational Church. Morning service at 11 o'clock. Subject: "Taking the Measure of our Faith." Evening service at 7:30. Subject: "Character and the Company we Keep." Sunday school at 12:30, Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30, p. m. Midweek meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. All the members of the church and congregation are especially requested, to attend the meeting on Wednesday next as there is business of particular importance to be brought forward. You will always find a welcome at all these services, and you will hear a message that will be helpful to you during the week. Come with us. G. E. Moorehouse Ph. D., pastor.

Basket Social—The ladies of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Norwegian Singing Society will give a Basket Social Saturday night March the ninth, at 8 o'clock in the new Finnish hall in Uppertown next to No. 3 Engine house. Every body welcome.

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

GRAND BALL.

Astoria National Association will have a Grand Ball on Saturday, March 16, 8 o'clock p. m., corner 28th St and Franklin Ave. Admission for Ladies, 50c. Gentlemen, \$1.00. Committee. 3-8-3-t

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