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HARRY GEORGE LOSES LIFE IN WATER

WHILE ON PLEASURE TRIP WITH A FRIEND ON YOUNG'S BAY, THE BOY IS DROWNED.

A terribly sad accident occurred about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon when G. Harry George, the son and only child of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. George, was drowned in Young's Bay.

Harry George and Miss Winnie Higgins had taken a small sailing boat from close by Parker's dock in Young's Bay to make a pleasure trip on the river. They had not proceeded very far and had, it is believed, scarcely got the boat in trim when suddenly the sail gibel, the boom striking the boy on the head and knocking him into the water. Dazed, and probably unconscious he mechanically swam round in a circle for a possible minute, then he sank. He rose to the surface again and, waving his hands, again sank. Once more he rose, and this time smiling at the girl, his partner in the trip, he waved his hand to her and finally disappeared.

Meanwhile, on the bridge, several people stood awe-struck, watching the tragedy, unable to avert it. The whole affair was over and the catastrophe complete before a boat could be sent to the lad's aid. Men ran frantically to get whatever there was. One boat was found but there were no oars, another, that of Bridgekeeper Strom, it was impossible to launch, because a boom of logs had damaged the slip.

Meanwhile the boy met his death! These are the salient features.

But the boy met his death, with a smile on his face, and a wave of his hand to the girl—his partner in the trip!

Nothing could be done—though a hundred things might have been if—only if—if one boat had had oars in it, if another had not been high and dry—if the gasoline launch which came up to the place of the fatality within a minute or so after, had only started a moment sooner.

Frank Lewis coming round the point in his launch heard the girl call, saw her beckon and speeded to her. But the sail of the boat blocked his view of the tragedy, being enacted on the other side of it.

So Providence willed, and one of the best and brightest of young Astorians has passed to his account.

And that account all who know him do truly and firmly believe will be found marked on the credit side only.

Just back from his second year at Stanford, barely 20 years of age, he was beloved by everyone who knew him. Happy, generous, high-spirited, modest, he was to all a true and perfect gentleman. What more can be said, but to offer respectfully the deepest sympathy to his terribly bereaved parents.

The boat in which the two friends were sailing was a Whitehall—a kind with which Harry George was perfectly familiar. He had been used to the waters and boats since he was a child and was an excellent swimmer, so the accident can only be accounted for by his having been stunned by the boom, which struck him. The young girl, Miss Higgins, is utterly prostrated, and is naturally unable at present to give any clear idea of the accident. After being landed at the Parker dock she walked back to town over the hill, accompanied by Si Herman, who is watchman on the San Jose. A great number of people went down to Young's Bay to assist in the search for the body, which was not recovered until after 11 o'clock last night. The patrol, the Chinook, the Pilot and the Comet, besides numerous fishing boats, all took part in the search. Fritz Derock, the diver, also made a number of descents. But it was left to Mr. W. J. Berry and J. R. Burke to eventually bring the body to the surface. This they did by means of a long lead line to which were attached numerous sturgeon hooks. The men were in two gasoline fishing boats with the line towing between them. The body was found about 150 yards from where it sank.

Club Opens—
The Irving Club opened its doors in the Savings Bank building yesterday afternoon but adjourned the formal house warming till some day next week.

Police News—
C. Johnson, a machinist, who is well known to the police as an almost habitual drunkard, was arrested yesterday for an attempted assault on the six-year-old daughter of a man named Sandem. He beguiled the child into his shack, when fortunately the mother of the child passed by and saw them. She had the man arrested.

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TERSE TALES OF THE TOWN

The Hymeneal Altar—
Walter Hokkanen has been granted a license to wed Lili Jantala. Felicitations!

Justice Court—
In the suit of Williner vs. Henderson today in the justice court a motion was made to vacate the writ of replevin; this was denied.

Appointed Appraisers—
In the matter of the guardianship of Albert and Pauline Harris, an order was made in the probate court yesterday appointing O. F. Morton, Howard M. Brownell and F. N. Clark appraisers of the estate.

Articles of Incorporation—
C. E. Linton has sold out his drug store and the goodwill stock and fixtures to the Columbia Drug Company. The latter has filed articles of incorporation and the parties are C. C. Rosenberg, Nathals Ludwalla and Mary Rosenberg, all of Astoria.

Gong Home—
John Zam, a well known resident of Astoria, leaves on Monday for his home in Trieste, Austria. Mr. Zam who is 70 years of age, travels via the C. P. R. (Agent James Finlayson) to New York and then catches the steamer Altonia of the Canard Line which goes direct to Trieste. Bon Voyage!

For Assinaboia—
Several people from the neighborhood of Astoria have recently departed or signified their intention of departing for the newly opened up territory of Assinaboia, Canada. Doubtless it is an excellent country and a grand wheat-growing country, but Astoria is good enough for most people for the present.

Death at Skamokawa—
Antone A. Olson, 34 years of age, died of cancer of the stomach at Skamokawa yesterday morning at 5:30. Mr. Olson, who had been suffering for several weeks, left a wife and a brother to mourn him. The funeral will take place at Skamokawa on Sunday under the auspices of the Redmen's Lodge requestant.

Another Fine Residence—
W. N. Smith, the well known plumbing contractor, is preparing to put up a residence for himself at the northeast corner of Irving and Seventh streets. The building will be a two-story frame structure, with all the most modern improvements, and will cost about \$3000. Architect Wicks is at present busy on the plans, and the work will be commenced as soon as possible.

Contract Completed—
William Leppa and John Planting, who have been under contract in the boatbuilding service of the Sanborn Cannery, have completed their contract and will engage in fishing for the balance of the season.

Recruiting Office—
The recruiting branch of the army has opened an office in Astoria for the purpose of enlisting desirable men for the infantry, cavalry and artillery. The office is located over the Bee Hive and is in charge of Sergeant Skinner. Lieutenant Kelso, U. S. A., was in the city yesterday attending to the details of inaugurating the new station.

Police Court—
Judge Anderson was back on the bench in police court yesterday and fined two plain drunks the customary amount of \$5 or two days in jail. On the motion of City Attorney Abercrombie the cases of C. F. Wise and John Stephenson were continued until Tuesday at 2 p. m. The city attorney desired to make an over-Sunday trip and could not get back in time for the trials Monday.

Advertising Clam—
The Astoria & Columbia River Railroad has just issued a novel form advertising for their Clatsop beach resort. As everyone knows, the finest clams in the world are the razor clams found in that vicinity and the new advertising is a little booklet, with the cover made to represent a clam shell and is an exact reproduction of the real thing in contour and coloring. Inside the covers is a space to write a short letter and many pictures illustrating the amusements to be found at the beach. The booklet takes a two-cent stamp to carry it which acts as seal at the same time. The booklets can be obtained at the local A. & C. R. A. office for the asking. On the back of the cover is written a clever little verse as follows: I'm a clam of the proper sort; Found at the beach where the wild waves sport. Take the A. & C. and see the sea—Clatsop Beach is the place for me.

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LABORER AT SEASIDE BADLY HURT

FALLS FROM LOCOMOTIVE AND SUSTAINS SERIOUS INJURIES TO HIP AND HEAD—NOW AT THE HOSPITAL.

Matt Tarshilo in the employ of the Seaside Lumber & Manufacturing Co., was seriously hurt yesterday while following his occupation at Seaside. It is reported that he fell from a locomotive of a logging train whilst it was in motion and sustained a serious dislocation of the hip. It was found necessary to take several stitches in the wounds to the head, and whilst they are bad cuts and extremely painful, they are not nearly so troublesome or distressing as the dislocation. The man was brought into town on the evening train from Seaside and immediately removed to St. Mary's Hospital, where he is now resting fairly easily. Unfortunately he is able to speak but very few words of English and cannot give a very clear or definite account of how the accident occurred.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. P. Wasserman, of Portland, is in the city visiting her niece, Mrs. I. Bergman.

E. E. Potter, of San Francisco, came to Astoria on business yesterday.

Mr. Phillip B. Van Nice, of the Title Guarantee & Trust Co., of Portland, was in the city on business yesterday.

Mr. J. Ferner, of Rogue Point, was in town yesterday.

Mr. H. B. Sletzer, of Philadelphia, registered at the Occident Hotel on Saturday.

Joseph T. Bemer, of San Francisco, was a visitor in Astoria yesterday.

Jos. W. Whitney, salesman for the Remington Typewriter Co., is in Astoria on business.

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