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The Taylor School—

Work on the Taylor school is progressing very satisfactory and an early completion is looked for.

Police Court—

Two drunks forfeited bail in the police court and one was fined two dollars and as he had served over Sunday he was allowed to go.

At The Hospital—

Mrs. Eccles, of Harlan, is at the hospital for medical attention. C. H. Cooper was admitted yesterday suffering from paralysis.

Vacation Trip—

J. C. Clinton, county clerk, will leave tomorrow morning for a 10 days' trip to Tillamook. Alex Duncan of Seaside will accompany Mr. Clinton as chaperon.

Have Taken Charge—

Worthen Bros., the recent purchasers of the Astoria Market took possession yesterday and vacated their old quarters known as the Boston Market on Commercial street and have now removed to the Astoria Market on Twelfth street.

Property Ordered Sold—

The County Court has authorized Caroline Hugeson, guardian of Esther Viola Helgeson to sell real estate belonging to the minor on filing a sufficient and satisfactory bond in the sum of \$1000. The property will be sold at public auction.

Brought to Astoria—

Deputy Sheriff McLean brought L. Benson over from Warrenton yesterday morning and he was placed in the county jail. Benson is the man who was in the affray with J. W. Clark and is accused of shooting at the latter. His hearing will probably be held this morning.

New Store—

Mr. and Mrs. A. Joloff have leased the store building belonging to Herman Wise and will move into it about September 15. At present they are conducting a store on Eleventh. In their new establishment, which is to be completely remodeled and refitted. They will conduct what will be known as Astoria's largest and best suit, cloak and millinery department store.

Midnight Foot Race—

Otto Mikkelsen last night won a 200-yard race from Frank Nelson, the course being on Commercial street. Nelson fell down and Mikkelsen beat him out about 60 feet. There was a hundred dollars as side bet put up on the feetness of the two runners by themselves. The race was exciting and spectators declare that if Nelson had not fallen in the track he might have won the race. General hilarity was indulged in and Nelson wanted to run again but Mikkelsen declared that he was not in condition for two sprints down the planks.

Marriage License—

A marriage license was issued yesterday to Henry A. H. Alrth and Alice Maude Dawson.

MAKE SEVERAL ARRESTS.

Water Bailiff Settem and Deputy Brown Return on Launch Patrol.

Water Bailiff Ole J. Settem and Deputy Fish Warden Frank Brown arrived down yesterday in the fish patrol launch, Oregon Patrol, from Hood River and Celilo where they made a thorough patrol of the waters of the Columbia River for illegal fishing. They secured several set nets and several hundred feet of sturgeon line which had been set out contrary to the law.

At Celilo they arrested I. H. Taft for not numbering his fish which properly although he was possessed of a license. Other infractions were also corrected.

At Hood River the Stanley Sewell Lumber Company was complained against for dumping sawdust into a stream which emptied into the Columbia. The charge is that this sawdust is a menace to the lives of fish in the stream. The case will come up for trial in the near future.

Now or Never.

This is the last week of the famous free flour offer. Hundreds of sacks have been given away in this vicinity in the last few weeks—a two-pound sack of White River Flour absolutely free to any housewife who will order one full-sized sack. If she does not like the flour after using the small sack, she may cancel the order for large one and there will still be no charge for the small one. This is a fair, business-like offer, made by the distributors, Allen & Lewis, the leading wholesale grocers of Portland, Oregon.

A New Resort.

"The Tyler", a new refreshment parlor, was opened last night at the corner of Eighth and Bond streets by Clarence Tyler. The Tyler is one of the neatest and cosiest resorts recently opened in this city and is bound to be a success. "The Tyler" is fortunate in securing the services of Dal Towler, the popular umpire and scorer of baseball, who in addition to his popularity among the athletes is known as a mixer and unsurpassed. Tyler himself is no novice in the business, being known from one end of the city to the other in his line. The best of liquors and cigars will be dispensed and all courtesies extended to friends and visitors.

Ice Cream Sherbets



Candies

VISITING SENATORS DEPART

SENATORS WRIGHT AND COLE, INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE OF THE LEGISLATURE, RETURN HOME—MUCH IMPRESSED WITH ASTORIA

Senator Wright of McMinnville and Senator Cole, of Pendleton, who have been visiting Astoria as a committee of investigation of the fishing industry have returned to their homes. These gentlemen in connection with Senator Scholfield and Representatives Brix and McCue of Clatsop county have made a thorough investigation of the fishing interests in this vicinity. On Friday, as reported in the Astorian, they investigated the fishing grounds and on Saturday visited the canneries and familiarized themselves with existing conditions and the possibilities.

Together with Senator Scholfield and several Astorians they visited Seaside Sunday and had a very pleasant time. Senator Cole left for Pendleton on Sunday night's train while Senator Wright remained over yesterday and left on the 6:10 train last night. Senator Wright, who was Senator Scholfield's guest while in Astoria is enthusiastic over Astoria and the way he has been treated. Senator Cole is equally enthusiastic and as a result both enjoyed their visit very much.

Yesterday at Seaside considerable merriment was created by an assault at arms—length between Senators Scholfield and Wright. Both these gentlemen are pretty well up in avordupois but Wright tips the scales somewhat in excess of our Clatsop county solon. Senator Scholfield undertook to give Senator Wright a ducking and taking a mean advantage of his guest endeavored to seize him by a pedal extremity while partly immersed. Now Senator Wright, much as he thought of his host and confere could not tolerate it for an instant and there was something doing immediately. A mighty splash, a dashing of spray on the onlookers and that was all—that was seen. Wright says that he stood the Astorian on his head in the sand and Scholfield says that—it matters little what he said—he's alive yet. Senator Cole was shocked but nevertheless enjoyed the scene.

The opinion of Clatsop's representatives, Senator Scholfield and Representatives Brix and McCue is that no better men could be appointed on the committee than these gentlemen and feel that the industry will be well represented at the net session by these gentlemen as a portion of the committee.

FAVOR FIXING UP ENGINES

MAYOR WISE BELIEVES IT WOULD BE A GOOD MOVE TO REPAIR FIRE ENGINES IN CASE WATER MAINS GO WRONG.

Mayor Wise is in favor of expending a little money on the two fire engines possessed by Astoria before they become useless from rust and lack of use. For a good many years Astoria had these engines, which at present are useless because they are out of repair. It is claimed by the mayor and the fire chief that they can be put in good working condition by the expenditure of about \$500 on each of them.

The engines cost about \$4000 each and are what were formerly known as Astoria No. 1 and Rescue No. 2. At present they are in danger of going to pieces and leaving the city without any fire protection should anything happen to the water mains during a conflagration.

"Astoria should have some means of producing a good stream of water in case anything happened to the hydrants and pipes," said Mayor Wise yesterday. "The purchasing of new engines at present is out of the question but those we already have should not be left to go to wreck and ruin simply for an expenditure of \$1000 for repairs. They will throw two powerful streams each if they are fixed up and used, so that they may not become rusty. While they are a little antique, still they would serve their purpose and that is all that is necessary."

"If anything should happen to the water mains or the hydrants in the city, these two engines could do splendid work by furnishing water from the river. Without them the city would be helpless in the face of a conflagration and I believe it would be a good investment to have them put in shape."

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P. B. LINVILLE DEAD.

Once Famous Shot and Sportsman Well Known in Astoria.

P. D. Linville the news of whose death in San Francisco has been received here, is well known to many of the older population of Astoria. At the time of his death he had been a member of the police force of San Francisco for 20 years and had one of the most responsible patrols in the city, Kearney street.

"Pleasant Day" Linville (his mother's name was Day and he was born on a sunny day, which accounts for the name), had an enviable record as an officer and citizen. He was one of the best pistol and rifle shots that have ever paid a visit to Astoria and besides this he was an eminent member of the Pacific Coast Field Trials Club. He owned and bred some hounds.

P. D. Linville had a splendid physique and was a cousin of Tom Linville of the Astoria police department. His last visit to Astoria was some six years ago and he, in company with a number of other Astorians, went out in a famous hunting trip in the mountains.

CHAPMAN FORMALLY ACCEPTS

PORTLAND BUSINESS MAN WILL BE ADMIRAL OF BIG REGATTA—THE COMMITTEE RETURNS FROM PORTLAND.

Secretary Whyte, of the Chamber of Commerce, will leave for Portland on a business visit today. He will also meet Albert Phenis, editor of the Manufacturers Record, of Baltimore, who is a close friend of his. He will probably make some arrangements for boosting Astoria through the medium of his magazine.

Arrangements for the admiral of the Regatta fleet have been completed, the position of honor going to C. C. Chapman, of Portland, who wired his acceptance on Saturday. The committee appointed to go to Portland and confer with him were well satisfied with the trip, and yesterday's Oregonian has the following to say of their visit:

"A committee of four prominent Astoria business men, who are at the head of the Astoria Annual Regatta celebration, was in Portland yesterday for the purpose of serving notice on C. C. Chapman, of this city, of his appointment as admiral of the celebration. It was also necessary to discuss plans with the admiral relative to the program and the appointed by his official staff.

Astoria proposes to make the coming Regatta the best in the city, an annual event. Voting speed whereby the people of the sea will chose the queen of the regatta. As the event will follow the Saengerfest which holds forth there on August 30 and 31 and September 1, Astoria will have an entire week of festivities.

A special effort is to be made to interest all Portland yachtmen and especially the Oregon Yacht Club, in the coming Regatta, and from present indications, the Astoria celebration will be more largely attended than ever before. The Regatta committee which conferred with Admiral Chapman yesterday, consisted of President W. E. Schimpff, Secretary J. H. Whyte and Executive Committeemen J. E. Gratke and Louis M. Head. They returned to Astoria last night.

It is expected that the settlement of who is to be admiral will stimulate the voting for queen of the Regatta. The polls close next Saturday.

BIG LUMBER SHIPMENTS THIS MONTH

MILLING COMPANY HAS FLEET OF VESSELS UNDER CHARTER FOR HEAVY SHIPMENTS—ONE OF LARGEST IN THE WORLD.

Passing in and out of Astoria harbor are many chartered ships and the Tongue Point Lumber Company is responsible for a good many of these. This company is recognized as one of the largest in the world; as handling the largest amount of the world's output of lumber that comes from any one mill and by the activity of the offices of the company a number of fast schooners and vessels are under charter to handle the lumber.

The Daisy Freeman is under charter to load on August 8, 600,000 feet of lumber and will repeat the performance on August 24 when she will take on a cargo of 300,000 feet.

The cascades is also due to load 550,000 feet of lumber for shipment. The Beulah, overdue schooner, is expected to load 500,000 feet when she arrives.

The steamer J. B. Stetson, which can carry a cargo of 900,000, is under charter to begin loading that amount about August 25.

Those who are accustomed to belittle the business ability of the local lumber exporters will have nothing to say in regard to the matter when the above figures are considered.

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BOHEMIANS SHUT OUT SILVER KING POPULAR PLAY

CRIPPLED TEAM PLAYS ON SUNDAY AND FAILURE TO BUNCH HITS WITH ERRORS LOOSES THE GAME.

Sunday afternoon. St. Johns chased 6 across the rubber. Some of the returned Bohemians are inclined to attribute the loss of the game to costly errors. Jamison the first baseman, certainly threw in a couple that were costly but still at that these runs did not contribute to the loss of the game. When 16 of the team are found in the strike-out column the blame is with the stickers. The Bohemians could not hit Springer.

Springer had all the necessary speed to put the players from beside the sea back on the bench. They could not hit him. On the other hand the St. Johns batters were able to bunch the hits and took advantage of costly errors. They were on their toes and took advantage of every opportunity. Captain Jackson's men need more practice.

But in the matter of hits the Bohemians were not so far behind. They connected five times with Springer while St. Johns got but six hits from Pheiffer. The trouble was in bunching the drives.

Net Sunday the Bohemians will be at home and will do their best to entertain the Brimard Cubs on the home diamond.

Manager Brown was only able to show up with five of his regular team, the others were men he had to sign on the spur of the moment. Carlson is recovering and it is to be hoped that he will be in the game again Sunday. With the old guard back in uniform again the Bohemians will strike their gait and keep the opposition guessing the remainder of the season.

Sunday excursions to North (Long) Beach. Round trip fare \$1.00 to any point on North Beach. Tickets good returning on either the steamer Potter or Nabootia. Call at O. R. & N. dock for particulars.

MR. WILLARD AND HIS ADMIRABLE COMPANY PRESENT EXCELLENT PERFORMANCE TO CROWDED HOUSE LAST NIGHT.

Mr. Lee Willard in the "Silver King" last night, put on a production that was worthy of almost any of the largest cities. The play was presented in its entirety and the difficult settings of the stage were carried forth in detail that was perfect. Mr. Willard, in the character of Wilfred Denver, the Silver King, won all his hearers by his masterful conception of Wilson Barrett's masterpiece.

His performance of this difficult role stamps him as a student of the modern drama of exceptional merit. His bearing is perfect, and his entire characterization of Wilfred Denver is perfect in its entirety.

The entire company is cast to excellent advantage and the production of the "Silver King" is a noteworthy one.

LOCAL OPERATORS STRIKE.

Although the operators of both the local agents for the Western Union and Postal Telegraph Companies have walked out with the rest of the striking operators the offices are still doing business with their manager's hands at the key lever. Manager Lamar of the Western Union was up late last night receiving the Associated Press dispatches, or the few that found their way over the wire, for the morning paper. Manager Humphreys was also attending to the work of the Postal Telegraph Company.

The force which walked out last night consists in Jack Kern, of the Western Union and Theo. Ferland, of the Postal.

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