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TERSE TALES OF THE TOWN

Removed to Astoria—

A. J. Dayton and wife, formerly of Portland have taken up their permanent residence in Astoria.

In the Police Court—

There was no session of the police court yesterday. There was but one case, that of drunkenness and the accused forfeited his bail.

Meeting Adjourned—

The Women's Club met yesterday afternoon but as there was but a quorum present the meeting adjourned until next Friday at 2:30 p. m. The meeting will be held at the residence of Mrs. Gratke.

Work to be Commenced—

The work of the improvement of Bond street the contract for which was awarded recently, will be commenced tomorrow. It is hoped that the street will not be closed to travel during the improvement but that one side of the road will be open for business.

New Moving Picture Show—

The opening of Wilson's moving picture show yesterday was a great success. Over 800 people were entertained and surprise was expressed at the completeness of the exhibition. A feature that was enjoyed was the description of each picture as it was presented. There is no question of the success of this show.

A Happy Dad—

When you see Roy Twombly walking down the street, with a broad, happy smile on his face, don't think that he has been appointed chief of police. Better than that; Mrs. Twombly presented him with a beautiful daughter Friday night. Mrs. Twombly and the little girl are doing well, and Roy is doing better.

A Jolly Party—

John Service, Thos. Spencer, Harry Spencer and Alfred Young in the employ of Sanborn-Cutting Company and David Hansen, J. Christensen and Thos. Norman, with Tallant-Grant Company, left on the steamer Roanoke, for Port Canyon, yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Nat Tallant accompanied the party as did also Mrs. Thomas Spencer, who accompanies her husband.

Old Time Fisherman Dead—

Peter Paulsen, a well known fisherman, along the river, died at St. Mary's hospital on Friday night. Mr. Paulsen who lived at Skamokawa was known by many in Astoria as a man who was up-right in all his dealings, and was for about 35 years engaged on the Columbia River. His funeral which will take place tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 will no doubt be largely attended. The interment will be at Greenwood cemetery.

To Select Team—

The members of the Astoria football team will be selected from the practice squad at the baseball park commencing at 1 o'clock this afternoon. Big preparations are being made for the game at Corvallis on October 19.

Is Driving Truck—

E. M. Benoit, well known as driver of an express wagon for the Sherman Transfer Co., is missed from his accustomed seat. He is now driving one of the heavy trucks. This will answer the many inquiries about him from many to whom his face is familiar and who note his absence from the wagon.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. E. P. Parker returned Wednesday from a three weeks' visit to Sumpter and Haines, Oregon.

Mrs. Patrick Shea received a letter from her father, E. P. Parker, dated October 6, from Atlantic City, saying he was still on the jump.

City Treasurer Dealey returned yesterday from Carson Springs and other points on Puget Sound.

Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig Larsen, of East Astoria, left this week for a couple of weeks' stay at Carson Springs.

E. F. Wheaton and F. R. Schikora of the Conservative Securities & Trust Co., of Portland, are in the city on business.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Wright of Spokane, Wash., were in the city Friday and were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Estes.

Dr. T. F. Laurin, who has been spending a few days at Green River Hot Springs, has returned to this city.

Shipment of Bulbs.

A shipment of bulbs, that will interest flower growers in Astoria, has just arrived in this city. The Columbia Nursery, on Bond street, has received a shipment of Dutch Hyacinth, Tulip and Narcissus bulbs, of an exceptional quality, and are prepared to fill orders for these beautifiers of homes. Those who are interested in these plants are invited to call and see the good conditions in which the bulbs are. While the shipment is a large one it would be well to place orders early to insure the filling of them.

Columbia and Victor graphophones and latest records at 424 Commercial street. A. R. Cyrus.

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BOWLSBY IS FOUND "NOT GUILTY"

JURY AFTER TAKING TWO BALLOTS, AGREE ON VERDICT—ATTORNEYS FOR DEFENSE MAKE SPLENDID CHARGE TO JURY.

The jury in the Bowlsby case brought in a verdict of "not guilty, on account of insanity," at 8 o'clock last night. The jury took but two ballots, the first being 9 for acquittal and 3 blank. On the second ballot a unanimous verdict was agreed upon.

The last day of the Bowlsby trial commenced yesterday, with the defendant on the stand. He gave a detailed account of his trip to Portland, and how he had passed up side streets, through fear of being waylaid by Jennings, and his chum. He found that he could not make proper connections, to go overland to his home, so took the steamer Alliance. When he reached Astoria he came up the dock, as he had telegraphed his brother-in-law that he was coming on the Alliance Harold met him and told him that Jennings was in town, and to look out for him. Bowlsby did not go up town but returned to the steamer. As he boarded the steamer, to go to his stateroom, he saw two men on the side of the boat, on which his stateroom was located, and thought that one of them was Jennings. He feared to go to his stateroom, fearing that they would shoot him as they had threatened. He went forward and seeing that the men were Jennings and his chum, and that they carried their hands in their coat pockets, in the manner in which they threatened to "get him." He took aim and fired. The rest of the story was told in the other evidence. The last witness for the defense was John Harold who swore that Jennings had made the threats, and he had communicated them to Bowlsby. This ended the evidence for the defense, and Dr. Fulton was called to the stand, by the prosecution. Dr. Fulton testified that when he examined Bowlsby, at the jail, a few days after his arrest, Bowlsby seemed rational.

Assistant District Attorney McCue made a fine opening argument, for the prosecution. He pictured Jennings as an innocent young man, led on by a woman nearly old enough to be his mother. That she had lured Jennings to his death, and that Bowlsby had no right to kill the victim. His speech was considered strong from the point of view of the state, but he could only prove the killing. In opening for the defense Howard Brownell, for the defense, took up the thread of the defendant's life, from the time of his first meeting with Mrs. Bowlsby and carried it up to his marriage, the building of his home; its wrecking and the commission of the crime. His plea was to the understanding of the jury, as to what would cause the condition that Bowlsby was claimed to be in, when the climax of the trouble came. It was well delivered and evidently had an effect on the jury.

John H. Smith followed with a forcible and convincing argument in which he took up the legal aspect of Bowlsby's conditions and action and while he stated that he did not claim a verdict on "unwritten law," but asked the jury to bring in a verdict of not guilty on account of insanity. He made a splendid point in bringing Bowlsby's 13-year-old son before the jury asking them what they would have done had they been in Bowlsby's place.

District Attorney Hedges closed for the state and strongly laid down the law to the jury. The state, he claimed, had proved their case and sentiment should not prevail in their deliberations. Judge McBride then charged the jury, explaining to them the different phases of murder and instructing them as to their deliberations on the merits of the evidence. He instructed them that their verdict should be either of five verdicts as follows: Murder in the first degree; murder in the second degree; manslaughter; not guilty, on account of insanity; and not guilty.

The result of the jury's deliberation is shown above, and gave universal satisfaction judging from expressions heard after the news of the verdict had been disseminated.

Bowlsby, when seen last night, expressed himself as very grateful to the jury and the attorneys who so ably defended him. He said that Judge McBride's charge was a most impartial one and that he even had no feeling against those who tried to convict him. He naturally feels elated though he has all through his ordeal felt that he would be acquitted.

Knocker Arrested.

Carl Franzen was arrested yesterday for knocking the spots out of John Doe's suit. He was released an hour later and is again at work at his stand, 179 Eleventh street, where he does first-class cleaning, pressing and repairing work called for and delivered.

Morning Astorian, 50 cents per month, delivered by carrier.

ASTORIA BEGINS TO BOOM

BUILDINGS ARE BEGINNING TO GROW UP RAPIDLY AND KNOCKERS GET A COLD SHOULDER IN FUTURE SEAPORT OF WHOLE PACIFIC COAST.

Astoria is beginning to go ahead more rapidly than ever the City-by-the-Sea did before. The continual announcement of new enterprises, new railroads, greater shipping facilities, the interest being shown in her future by outside people, are all helping to create an exuberant feeling among her citizens which has greatly increased during the past three months.

New buildings are going up in every quarter of the city. Street improvements are in evidence everywhere, especially on the elevated portions of the city. Downtown stores are being painted up and there is a real pride beginning to show itself on the part of property holders, many of whom showed nothing but apathy heretofore.

Only a few short months ago the man who could knock the city the hardest was regarded with envy by citizens who did not know how to wield a good hammer. As "every knock is a boost," the unfailing result has come. The people of Astoria have heard so much knocking that they have grown sick of it. They have grown to resent it and this is the sign of better things.

The man who knocks on Astoria at present soon loses any friends he may have in this city. The people are getting patriotic for the town and they will not stand to hear Astoria knocked. They have become so confident in its future that it is a reflection on their intelligence when some "fresh" article starts to belittle the city and the efforts of the citizens to place it where it should stand as the leading shipping and distributing point in northwestern Oregon and southwestern Washington.

New real estate firms are being formed continually and the real estate man is always the forerunner of a rapid growth. It is his business to scent good opportunities and the interest shown in Astoria and the surrounding section by the real estate men of the city, is a sure sign that property is on the eve of a rapid transfer and rise.

Seattle, Portland, Spokane, San Francisco and many other large cities have citizens who visit the city in large numbers every week to look into chances for good investments. All of them have a good word for the city and are showing the greatest interest in the railroad maneuvers which have selected this section for the carrying out of huge projects.

Even the Portland papers have become convinced that they cannot ignore the city any longer and yet tell the news of Oregon. During the past two weeks quite a number of columns have been regretfully given to announce the doings of the railroads in this section.

Everything points toward a rapid growth in the manufacturing and shipping interests at this point. The building of new stores and residences has been going ahead for some months and since the first of the years no less than 200 new homes have been erected in the city and the suburbs.

The real growth of the city has commenced and Astoria is being rapidly heralded as a GOOD TOWN.

TERMINAL COMPANY IN OFFICES

NEW REAL ESTATE FIRM OPENS UP FOR BIG BUSINESS IN PLACE FORMERLY OCCUPIED BY ASTORIA SAVINGS BANK IN THIS CITY.

G. Wingate, manager of the new firm, the Terminal Trust Company, has opened offices in the place formerly occupied by the Astoria Savings Bank in the Odd Fellows' building. Mr. Wingate is one of the best posted men on real estate in Western Oregon and has been a citizen of this city for many years.

He has the greatest faith in the future of Astoria and has her interests at heart. The name of the firm will indicate what he believes Astoria is destined to be—the terminal for a number of transcontinental lines and the leading shipping point north of San Francisco for the northwest.

His unfailing good nature and courtesy will make his establishment exceedingly popular with the business public. His broad views, combined with his Scotch caniness, will make him a valuable asset to the solid citizens of the city. Mr. Wingate is a firm believer in the boost process for the helping out of any community and if any person desires to know of the resources of Clatsop he can give them down to the finest detail.

He has selected a strategic position for the new firm and has had the offices neatly fitted up for the transaction of all kinds of real estate business, from

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the handling of one lot to the transfer of 10,000 acres. He has watched the growth of the city for 20 years and feeling that at last Astoria is coming into her own, he is ready to assist in the process with the greatest despatch and good humor.

WATERFRONT ITEMS

The steamer Roanoke arrived down the river yesterday and went to sea for San Francisco last night.

The steamer Breakwater arrived in yesterday morning from Coos Bay with freight and passengers.

The steamer Redondo arrived in yesterday from Seattle with freight but no passengers.

The steamer Harvest Queen came down the river again yesterday morning in place of the Hassalo but it is expected that the latter will be required in time to come down on her regular run.

The steam schooner Daisy Freeman was late in getting down the river Friday evening on account of the fog but left yesterday for California with her cargo of lumber.

An Interesting Visitor. Mrs. Dr. Coon, the Psychic reader, is in the city for a few days. Will give daily readings at the Megler House, 680 Commercial street. 10-13-3t.

NEW TO-DAY.

An Apron Sale will be held on October 15th at the A. O. U. W. Hall by the Koenig Louis Lodge of the Sons of Herman. Everybody invited.

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The Tyler. The Tyler is still doing business at the old stand, Sixth and Bond streets. Clarence Tyler makes his customers feel at home and as a result his business is improving. The quality of the goods he serves cannot be excelled and the neatness of the place and the good order prevailing, makes The Tyler a popular resort. When you are in that neighborhood drop in and satisfy yourself.

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