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TERSE TALES OF THE TOWN

Silver Cup—

A silver cup is to be presented to the High School pupil who has made the best showing in athletic and at the same time has made the most improvement in his studies.

Buried Today—

Fanny R. Jackson, the six-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Jackson of Uniontown, who died yesterday, will be buried from the family residence today at 1 p. m. with interment in Greenwood cemetery.

Something Doing—

Says the Seaside Signal: "Senator Scholfield, Collector McGregor and Colonel White, of Astoria, were in the city Wednesday. Something doing when you find a crowd like that together."

Funeral Yesterday—

The funeral of Miss Hildur A. Wentjar, age 11 years, was held from the family residence on Sixth street yesterday at 1 p. m. A large number of friends and relatives were present at the services. The interment was in Greenwood cemetery.

Going To Dallas—

Charles H. Haddix and J. C. McCue will start for Dallas, Texas, on July 3, to attend the National Convention of the Elks to be held there at that time. They will meet Governor Chamberlain and Ralph Moody at Ogden, from where the party will travel together to Dallas.

Will Attend Meet—

Dr. John Holt, quarantine officer for the Columbia District, has been detained by his Sergeant-General to the annual meeting of the State Medical Association, to represent the public health and marine hospital service. The meeting will be held at Portland on July 1 and will continue until July 3.

At Public Sale—

In the matter of the estate of Antone Furtado it was ordered by Judge Trenchard of the Probate Court yesterday that the executor be empowered to sell all the real and personal property. The executor is Louis A. Myltenback. There are 1113 acres to be sold, and the stock, farm implements, and so on, will all be sold at public auction.

Fishing Better—

Ole Settem, the water bailiff, made a trip down the river yesterday and upon his return stated that the fishing in that lower vicinity is improving a little. He said that the association got 600 pounds at Desdemona Sands yesterday, which is the best

catch of the season at that point. Generally speaking, the fishing is thought to have been a little bit better around the mouth of the river the past few days.

Enforce The Ordinance—

Although there is an ordinance providing that cannon crackers and other explosives may not be shot off before the Fourth of July, yet apparently the police are not endeavoring to enforce the ordinance. Last night again there were various cannon crackers exploded, causing serious annoyance to many. Several persons have expressed the opinion that the police should enforce the ordinance rigorously.

Work Started—

Work has been started on the new Allen building, which is to be the future home of the Astoria Amateur Athletic Association. Messrs. Birch & Jacobson, who have the contract for the foundation work of the new structure, have moved their pile-driver to the grounds and the pile-work will be started today. Axel Johnson is the carpenter contractor. The building is expected to be completed and ready for the new club on or before September 1.

Paying The Penalty—

One of the three men who were tried by Judge Anderson at the police court the other day under a charge of vagrancy, and who was ordered to leave town, was again picked up by an officer yesterday and taken to police headquarters. He was sentenced to 15 days imprisonment at the time of the hearing, but sentence was suspended with the understanding that he would immediately leave. He is now in jail serving his time.

"Astoria, Or., June 23, 1908.

"Morning Astorian.

"Gentlemen—The undersigned wishes hereby to acknowledge the payment of the third prize, the gold watch, and thank the Morning Astorian for same.

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ANOTHER BIG CROWD ATTEND

THE SECOND PERFORMANCE OF "THE SHERIFF" AT HAGERS THEATRE, AND ARE MUCH PLEASED.

Another large crowd greeted the second performance of "The Sheriff" at Hagers Theatre last night. The company is one of unusual excellence and is destined to become very popular among the many theatre-goers of Astoria.

There is a sweet vein running through the play, and while it has many thrilling melodramatic situations, there is still plenty of good wholesome comedy.

The title role is taken by Mr. Her-



LILY BRANSCOMBE.

bert Ashton who by the way is the manager and director of the organization. Mr. Ashton has a beautiful voice and plays his part with an easy and graceful manner that marks him the finished actor he is. The leading feminine part is in the hands of the well known and accomplished actress, Miss Lily Branscombe, who is the Sheriff's daughter, Kate, and to say that she does well in the role would indeed, be putting it mildly.

Miss Branscombe has a splendid personality in the part and acts it with a determination that goes far with her audience.

The balance of the company are all happily cast and give a splendid performance throughout.

"The Sheriff" will continue until Thursday night when the company will produce a full scenic mechanical, and electrical production, of the beautiful well known problem play "Sapho" which will run for the remainder of the week with a matinee Saturday and Sunday.

The Ashton Company have more than made good with local playgoers and if they do not "pack 'em in" for dear "Sapho" then something is wrong with the drawing qualities of the old piece.

In Circuit Court—

Judgment was rendered in the sum of \$100 in favor of the plaintiff in the case of T. L. Driscoll vs. Clarence Winters in the circuit court yesterday. The case was contested warmly. It involved the payment of \$100, which had been advanced on a gasoline engine. The only other cases heard yesterday were the following: Order to correct decree in case of Mrs. A. Kirkland vs. A. D. Kirkland; demurrer argued and taken under advisement in case of A. Krause vs. Charles Markow et al.

Warrants For Three—

Sheriff Pomeroy and Chief of Police Gammal began a search yesterday for the three men who are accused of having assaulted Matt Walquist at an early hour last Sunday morning. Walquist was pretty badly cut up, evidently by a knife, and he accuses Joe Terva, A. Kotti and John Sattyaroi of being the men who assaulted him. They are fishermen, and it is thought that they are keeping out of the way. A warrant has been issued for their arrest and it is probable that they will soon be found.

Getting Even—

Probably it isn't often that the lumber men get a chance to talk back to the railroads, but that one chance came is evidenced by the following story, told by an Astoria man who has just returned from a business trip. The recent floods in Washington and Montana hit several of the railroads hard, especially the Northern Pacific, and there was a big and immediate demand for bridge material. Orders came pouring in, and apparently the mill owners only took

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NEW SCHEDULE IN EFFECT TODAY

OPENING OF THE NORTH BEACH SUMMER SEASON IS MARKED BY IMPORTANT CHANGES.

Today marks the commencement of several important changes in the summer schedule of at least three boats running in connection with the O. R. & N. line. The Nahcotta, which heretofore has left Astoria at 7:30 o'clock in the morning, will hereafter leave at 6:45 o'clock. She will also make two trips daily to Meglers, leaving out in the afternoon about 1:30 o'clock, connecting at Megler's with the I. R. & N. train for Ilwaco and other beach towns along the coast.

The Hassalo will leave Astoria every morning at 7 o'clock for Portland via Meglers.

The steamer T. J. Potter will also start this morning on the first of her daily trips during the summer for the North Beach traffic. The Potter will go direct to Meglers from Portland, not touching at this city.

Under the new arrangement the sailing hours of the Potter from Portland will not be regulated by the action of the tides as heretofore. She will leave Portland every morning at 8:30 o'clock, except Saturdays, and she will return at 10:30 o'clock in the evenings. On Saturdays she will sail from Portland at 2 in the afternoon and remain at Meglers until Sunday evening, when she will leave on the return trip.

Owing to the improved service the travel to the beach is expected to be much greater this season than ever before. At the rate berths are being engaged on the Potter, it is said that she will go out with a full list on her initial voyage. She will have a Government permit for carrying about 600 passengers. During the past few weeks she has been given a thorough overhauling, and many minor alterations have been made to her. The accommodations have also been improved.

long enough to raise prices before filling them. Bridge material jumped from \$12 to \$13 and even \$14 a thousand. The Lumber Manufacturing Agency at Centralia filled 15 cars in two days, and the same rush occurred at other points.

PERSONAL MENTION

David Hood, who has been ill with the measles for several weeks at his home at Ocean Park, was in the city yesterday, entirely recovered from the attack.

Miss Jessie E. Sands, who has been teaching for some time at McClure's school, has received a position in one of the Portland schools for the coming year.

C. E. Westerberg, former resident of Minneapolis, is in the city looking for a favorable opportunity to start in business.

Mrs. M. J. Wood and her niece, Miss Jennette Peterson, are expected to return to this city next Wednesday. They have been on a three weeks' visit up Puget Sound way, and attended the commencement exercises of the Bellingham State Normal School, where Miss Kate Wood was one of the graduates.

Judge J. B. Meffek of Baker county, Oregon, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gilbaugh of this city. The Judge is a cousin to Mrs. Gilbaugh.

Attorney Frank Olson, of Cathlamet, was in the city yesterday, accompanied by his two sons, Frank Jr., and Alfred.

Attorney J. H. Hailton expects to go to Southern California for the summer months. It is understood that Mr. Hamilton's health is not very good and that he will leave his business for a time in the hope of improving his health. He will leave in a day or two.

M. S. Davis of Portland is registered at the Occident.

D. S. Jones from Portland is stopping at the Hotel Occident.

Christ Culmbach and wife are in town from Everett.

Mrs. Davis was an arrival in Astoria from Chinook yesterday.

H. E. Halsell, from Texas, is in the city.

W. M. Round from South Bend, Wash., is in the city.

M. Melshiar, a resident of Tillamook, was among the arrivals in Astoria yesterday.

Mrs. Iva D. Latimer of Chinook is in the city.

Mrs. E. S. Boothe of Clatskanie is in the city, registered at the Occident.

R. M. Watson, editor of the Signal at Seaside, was in the city yesterday.

C. M. Fowler, commercial agent of the A. & C., was in the city yesterday on business.

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ALUMNI BALL GAME WILL BE WARM

THE OLD BOYS WILL MEET THE JUNIORS ON THE DIAMOND THIS AFTERNOON—

Today is Junior Day at the Astoria high school and will be fittingly celebrated by the Alumni-High school baseball game in the afternoon, and the Junior reception in the evening at Logan hall.

The baseball game is expected to be very exciting and hotly contested, as the last game played by the two teams was won by the Alumni team by the score of 9 to 8. It is generally conceded that the game will be a close one, as the Alumni team is composed of old experienced players who have graduated from academic sports.

The line-up will be as follows:

Alumni	Position	H. S.
Rogers	c.	E. Short
Garner	p.	Parker
Young	1b.	Troyer, Tuomala
Parker	2b.	Morton
Upshur	3b.	S. Short
Tagg	ss.	Wright
Erickson	lf.	Van Dusen
Lounsbury	rf.	Barry, Porter
Campbell	cf.	Ekstrom, Utzinger

BREAKS PREVIOUS RECORD

MILAN, June 23—Leon de la Grange, the French aviator, has surpassed his previous records by flying for 16 minutes and 30 seconds. During that time his machine was from 10 to 18 feet above the ground. Me. de la Grange made nine rounds of a measure course on the military field at a velocity of about 38 miles an hour, traversing in all about 18 kilometers or a little more than 11 miles. A special gold medal will be struck in honor of his performance.

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