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TERSE TALES OF THE TOWN

Mr. Curtis Home—

C. J. Curtis, the attorney, who has been out in the Nehalem Valley, is home again.

Returns To College—

Phil Cherry left last night for the Washington State College at Pullman, to continue his course in mechanical engineering.

License To Marry—

License to marry was issued in the office of the country clerk yesterday to Thom Hihnala and Miss Mary Oikari, and to John Anderson and Miss Anna Niemi.

Strictly In It—

The Hurd people, of Iowa City, Iowa, manufacturers of the Hurd Clothes Carrier, in their latest beautiful trade book, have inserted a fine picture of the Astoria house of Judd Brothers, which does as much credit to the handsome booklet as it does to the home firm and the city.

His Funeral yesterday—

The funeral of the late Edwin L. Sinnott was held yesterday morning from St. Mary's church and there was a large attendance, the Knights of Columbus being out in force to honor their dead brother. The funeral sermon was preached by the Rev. Father Waters, who spoke feelingly of the young man's death. The interment which was private, was in Greenwood.

For New Homes—

A big river barge is being unloaded of lumber at the foot of Fourteenth street in this city, from the new mills at Blind Slough; the lumber being distributed by teams from the Prael-Eigner barns to several points at which the Banking, Savings & Loan Society intend to, shortly, start new homes. There are 50,000 feet in the shipment.

Flocking To Tillamook—

The good news of the resumption of work on the Lytle Road is drawing a strong contingent of idlers from all over Northwestern Oregon, many going in via this city both by land and sea, while many are striking for the railway front through the Nehalem country, which, by the way is considered the real trick to do as those going in that way are likely to reach the camps first.

After Fresh Honors—

Miss Agnes Karinen will leave for Walla Walla today to attend the famous Whitman College for girls, her entree there being based upon the very creditable honors she won in the High School here last term, along with the scholarship she will now make use of there. Miss Karinen is one of four of Astoria's daughters

now domiciled at Whitman, the Misses Fulton, Estes and Baker being enrolled there.

To Try, Try Again—

A. L. Clark, city superintendent of schools, said last evening that a dozen or more of the pupils who had failed in their examinations, or who had been conditioned in one or more of their studies, appeared yesterday and expressed their desire to take the examinations again. Mr. Clark said he would probably commence the tests on Thursday, and they will be held in some one of the school buildings.

Summer About Over—

That the summer months have passed is indicated not only by the bracing weather of the past few days, out by the change of advertisement of one of the catering stores that appears in the Astorian today. "We are now serving hot drinks," the ad reads, and those who are afraid of the chills after eating ice cream may now get something hot. Because of the late Spring many people are prognosticating a late and a beautiful Autumn.

At The State Fair—

A goodly number of Astoria people have already gone to Salem to the State Fair and others are planning to visit this annual attraction. It is said that the fair this year is a good one. Clatsop's exhibits are in charge of C. S. Dow, and while the showing is not a large one, it nevertheless is one of which the county need not be afraid to compare with others. Herman Ahlers, the bee man from the Necanicum district, is at the Fair making exhibits of bees and how to handle them.

Debs Cannot Come—

Inquiry made yesterday afternoon of the labor leaders in this city indicates that, despite the earnest efforts made by them to have the great champion and presidential candidate, Eugene V. Debs, now at Portland, to come to Astoria, but denial is made only because of the imperative schedule that has been laid out for him, and which cannot be departed from. He is said to have had an immense meeting and reception in the Oregon metropolis, over 10,000 people listening to his address.

Hot Drinks

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Mayor Investigating—

Mayor Wise yesterday signed all the ordinances passed at the last meeting of the common council except the one pertaining to improvements on Forty-sixth street. That ordinance he will withhold until he has made a thorough investigation of the merits of a remonstrance made by property owners along the thoroughfare. Accompanied by the city engineer and others, the Mayor yesterday made a personal examination of the street and listened to the objections made by the people along the street.

On The Water Wagon—

Police Officer Thompson has returned from his two weeks' vacation and Dan Belcher, who has been taking his place under appointment by the police commissioners, will return to his former job as driver of the water wagon, and generally as teamster for the city. It is understood the commissioners wished to have Mr. Belcher continue to act on the force for another month, but he was not very anxious to do so. That he made a good officer while on is demonstrated by the record of cases he has had in the police court.

Looking For New Raise—

Electrical Inspector W. A. Newman, representing the Board of Fire Underwriters of the Pacific, at Portland, was in the city yesterday, on a business errand, presumably in relation with the mill fire of Sunday last. The hope is abroad that Astoria is not to have another rise in rates just because some company has lost \$4,000 thereby; which, by the way, is not so far-fetched a proposition as some may think; the most cursory review of the existing schedules will justify pretty nearly any conclusion in this behalf.

A Slight Discrepancy—

Several days ago a party of Astorians arrived in Portland in their autos and the Portland papers contained glowing accounts of the auto trip from Astoria to the metropolis. But one of the members of the party, Mr. George W. Sanborn, lost his pocketbook and yesterday an account of its recovery was also announced in the Oregonian. It was found by Frank May, a farmer at Canby, and in it was a freight receipt showing that one automobile had been shipped by steamer to St. Helens. Perhaps the Portlanders may believe it isn't quite fair to make the trip partly by water.

Away On Vacation—

Police Officer Hanson is away on a vacation of two weeks and last night Patrolman Wilson met the night train in his place. So accustomed are the people who go to the train at night to see the familiar figure of Patrolman Hanson that his absence was at once noticed. With the absence of one of the men on vacation, and the resignation of Chief Gammal the force is short two men, and it is probable that another patrolman will be appointed in the event that the new chief is selected from among the officers of the force. Patrolman Thompson was on duty again last night after his two weeks' vacation.

Road To Chautauqua—

Announcement is made that the men back of the Clatsop Beach Chautauqua will ask the county court to construct a road through the Chautauqua site to the beach in the same manner that a thoroughfare was built to the beach at Delaura. That such a road will be required when the association begins its summer meetings is a foregone conclusion, and it seems evident that one will have to be constructed as asked for sooner or later. The Chamber of Commerce has been asked to lend its good offices in the matter and will probably do all it can to help the entire Chautauqua matters along in any way it consistently can. Architects are now at work preparing the plans for the buildings on the grounds, including a hotel, auditorium and bath house.

Orchestra For Astoria Theatre—

Manager Hanlin of the Astoria theatre announces that he has secured the services of the Imperial orchestra to play all the coming attractions this season at his house. This bit of information will be gladly received by the many patrons of the theatre, as the lack of music, the kind that should go with a first-class house such as the Astoria, has been greatly felt ever since the house has been built. Mr. Hanlin's booking sheet for this season shows a very good selection of attractions among them being many of leading and latest New York productions, and with the additional inducement of good music, by a first-class orchestra between acts the Astoria theatre will be a popular place of amusement and will no doubt be well patronized at all the engagements.

By Private Contract—

Recently there have been a number of petitions presented to the common council asking that property owners be granted permission to improve certain portions of streets by private contracts and this permission has been granted. Yesterday two petitions of this nature were filed with the city auditor, Mr. Anderson. One was from Ann E. Hanson, by H. C. Hanson, asking permission to grade that portion of Tenth street and that portion of Lexington avenue which abut on lots 7 and 8 of block 137, McClure's, and that the petitioner be exempted from assessments when the city shall order the rest of the improvement. The other petition was from F. L. Parker and William B. Chase, asking permission to lay cement sidewalks and to curb and gutter that portion of Irving avenue abutting on lot 12 of block 20, Shively's. These petitions will be acted upon by the council in due course.

The Dead Is Alive—

Early in the year 1907 an accident happened on the Flavel pier, down on the West Side, in which a young married man by the name of George Horton was supposed to have lost his life by drowning and his family mourned him sincerely. He carried a life insurance policy for the sum of \$1000 with the Knights of the Maccabees and his widow sought earnestly to recover it but failed because of the fact that his body was never found, a pre-requisite absolutely demanded in all their adjustments, and the matter was dropped for want of a predicate upon which to press it further. It is now claimed that the man was never drowned nor even hurt, at the time, but took the means at hand to leave the country, presumably on this errand of collections, and went as far as Virginia, gradually working his way back to the coast, and is reported as dwelling in this county, in, or near, Seaside. His family is still domiciled at Warrenton.

Here From Canada—

Mr. and Mrs. Antone Bartness, who have been in correspondence with the Astoria Chamber of Commerce for a year or more, arrived in the city yesterday from their home in the territory of Saskatchewan, Canada. They are out looking over some farming lands and expect to remain in this vicinity. While there have been many settlers enter upon the Canadian lands of late years many of them find it too cold to remain long, and doubtless it would not prove a difficult thing to get some of them to locate here. Astoria people laugh and talk about the rains here during the winter months, but how incomparably better the rain is than a winter whose temperatures frequently go as low as 50, 60 and even 70 degrees below zero can probably best be understood only by those who have experienced both. Mr. and Mrs. Bartness hope to find a location near to the city, or at least

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Shocking Report Abated—

Just before noon yesterday, in this city, a startling rumor was afloat that the genial master of the O. R. & N. steamer Hassalo, Captain John Anderson, had succumbed to a sharp stroke of paralysis on the way back to the metropolis and was then dead at his Portland home. The nature of the report caused instant inquiry here, and it was found that, while Captain Anderson, had bene stricken with some overpowering ailment on his way back to Portland, and was a very sick man, he was yet alive and with fair prospect of recovery; all of which brought a sense of relief to hundreds here who know and thoroughly appreciate him as a man and officer. It seems he was overtaken with the trouble, suddenly, on Sunday afternoon, while in this city, and was carried to his stateroom where he was treated professionally to a point of relief, and rallied so that he felt able to take his trick at the wheel on the way up the river on Monday, but again collapsed, and the steamer was hastened into port and he was taken to his home, where he is still a very sick man, yet not desperately so. It will be good news to many to know that he has passed all danger points and regained his hearty and healthful status. The trouble has not been clearly defined, but is thought to be of a paralytic nature.

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GOOD SHOW TONIGHT.

"The Missouri Girl" at the Astoria Theatre Will Probably be a Dramatic Treat.

The queer, comical characters seen in "The Missouri Girl" are true to life, and anyone who has visited Southern Missouri will recognize them at a glance. The specialties introduced are, for the most part, such as are seen in the backwoods part of the state.

This play has no superior and few equals as an entertainer, because it contains all the elements that go to make up a pleasing performance.

The production has broken records for large business in more than two-thirds of the theatres, played in the past 10 years, and this mostly in return dates. This should be a guarantee that the show is "all right."

A good play with a good strong plot and an unusual amount of rich comedy interpreted by a clever lot of people is what will be seen when "The Missouri Girl" appears at the Astoria theatre tonight.

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Soup Meat	3c	Brisket Corned Beef	6c	Beef to cook a la mode	8c
Beef for soup stock	3c	Plate Corned Beef	6c	Beefsteak to smother in onions	8c
Beef for Aspic jelly	3c	Rump Roast Beef	6c, 7c, 8c	Beef to roll with stuffing and roast	8c
Beef Stew	5c	Necks of Veal	8c, 10c	Breakfast Bacon	17c
Necks of Beef	5c	Rump Roast Beef, end cut	8c	Hams	17c
Beef for boiling	5c	Rump Roast Beef, best cut	10c		
Beef for braising	5c	Beef for Beef olives	6c, 7c, 8c		
Beef to spice	5c	Pigs' Hocks	8c		
Beef to cook with dumplings	5c	Shoulder Roast Beef	8c		
Beef for Pot Pie	5c	Shoulder Beefsteak	8c		
Beef to pickle	5c	Steak for Beefsteak Pie	8c		

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