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TERSE TALES OF THE TOWN

Goes to College—

Stanley Young, son of Ben Young, will leave for Eugene this evening to renew his studies at the University.

Catching Tom Cod—

There are lots of tom cod in the river, and the small boys along the docks are having little difficulty in catching all they want with hook and line.

Off for Corvallis—

Mrs. L. Gilmore and family, Harold, Maude and Mabel, with Marian Turley, are leaving today for Corvallis and will make their future home in that city, where the young people will attend the Oregon State Agricultural College.

To Seattle Home—

Mrs. Hulda M. Thomson, who has been visiting her sisters, Mrs. L. A. Larsen and Mrs. P. Gimre, after returning from her old home in Norway, left for Seattle last night, where she will make her home in the future.

At 2 P. M. Today—

Through inadvertence it was announced in these columns yesterday that City Superintendent Clark desired to meet and confer with the city teachers at the Shively school building at 2 p. m. of yesterday, when it should have read for that hour Saturday afternoon.

Back to Ohio—

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lynch and two children depart today for their old home in Cleveland, Ohio, and will settle there for good. Mr. Lynch has been for some time an engineer in the service of the Columbia River Packers' Association, and is thoroughly respected in this city.

Still Improving—

The cheerful word came down from the metropolis yesterday that Capt. Jack Anderson, of the O. R. & N. steamer Hassalo, is steadily but yet slowly improving and that hope is entertained of his recovery within a few weeks. He will be welcome back on the river all right.

An Ardent Irish Green—

The 53 metal mail oxes fixed at convenient points about this city for the reception of letters and papers were yesterday painted a rich and ardent green, and this color will be maintained until some expedient reason arise for another change. It was supposed that the flaming red recently employed would be maintained, but it is understood that this clashed with the color used by the

fire departments of the land, and the silver-gray in use for some time past was deemed too suggestive of the old Bryanite fallacy, and so the color with a "brogue" to it supervenes to guide the letter-sending American to the nearest depository for his mail.

Back to Duty—

Dr. J. M. Holt, in charge of the federal quarantine station at this port, who has been absent on leave for the past month and has enjoyed his summer outing on the Clatsop beaches, is again at his home and office in this city and has relieved Dr. Pilkington, who has had charge of the station during Dr. Holt's absence.

Going to Springs—

Dr. Clara Reames, the city health officer, is going to Shepherd Mineral Springs for a few days. Her father, Mr. Young, is there, and he sent for her to come, as his health is not very good. During her absence Dr. Nellie Vernon will act as health officer in case any need for her services should arise.

Has Wrought Damage—

The big fire that has been so conspicuous over the river from this city for the past few days, and which was until yesterday confined to a big shashing in the Nasel region, got into some fallen timbers yesterday on the Brix holdings and may do serious damage before it abates. It was burning heavily late last evening.

Another Suit Filed—

The firm of E. Mauke & Co. filed a suit in attachment against the A. Booth Co. in circuit court yesterday. The complaint alleges that the Booth Co. owes the plaintiff the sum of \$209, most of which is for merchandise and the remainder for wages that had been assigned to the plaintiff. It is understood that the Booth Co. has assets in this district amply large enough to pay all the local claims.

All Settled at Last—

Word was received in this city yesterday from Mrs. Anna M. Gates at San Francisco, the lady whose husband, an army steward at Fort Stevens until recently and now en route for similar service in the Philippines, attempted to "railroad" her to the O. S. I. A. some months ago and failed, and from whom she subsequently set on the river all right.

Hot Drinks

Coffee and Chocolate.



secured a divorce with alimony and the custody of their minor child, is now happily settled in the Bay City at the home of a brother and happy in her release. Gates sought to capture the child in San Francisco through the courts there, and was defeated at all points, and his salary account is mulcted, at the instance of his superior officers in that city, of the \$20 per month allowed Mrs. Gates by her decree.

Bought a Ranch—

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Bartness, who recently arrived here from Saskatchewan, Canada, have purchased a small place on the Little Walluski River from the VanDusen realty firm. The tract comprises nearly twelve acres, and the price paid was nearly \$600. The place is cleared and part of it is bottom lands and part on the side hills. Mr. H. G. VanDusen showed them various places around this section and they seemed well pleased to purchase this tract on the Little Walluski. It is probable that quite a few others will soon locate in that particular vicinity, and then it will be possible to organize a school district. At the present time there are some children from the country districts who come to the city schools, driving or walking in several miles, but as the country settles up the "little red schoolhouses" will be scattered around the countryside more thickly than now. Mr. Bartness has ordered lumber and expects to build a home and farm buildings at once.

SOME SPECIALS

Which we took in as part payment on new instruments. A fine upright piano, \$100; a beautiful toned organ, only \$38.50; another with German reeds, only \$43; one choice mahogany highest grade piano, just like new, now \$278, cost \$500 about a year ago, and a few other splendid bargains. 424 Commercial street.

CHURCHES--SUNDAY

First Lutheran

Gustaf E. Rydquist, pastor. Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m., morning services in Swedish at 10:45 a. m., theme, "Bethesda," evening service in English at 8 o'clock, theme, "Tis Only a Stranger;" Luther League Circle at 7 p. m.

Memorial Church

Gustaf E. Rydquist, pastor. Sunday-school at 10 a. m.; divine service at 3 p. m., theme, "Gratitude and Praise;" All Lutherans who prefer the use of the English language in worship are especially invited.

First Norwegian Evangelical Lutheran

Sunday-school meets at 9:30 a. m., morning service at 10:45, evening service at 8 p. m. Theodore P. Neste, pastor.

Christian Science

Services at Rooms 5 and 6, I. O. O. F. Building, corner Tenth and Commercial streets, at 10 a. m. Subject of the lesson sermon, "Matter." All are invited. Sunday-school at 11 a. m. The first Wednesday evening in the month at 8 o'clock. Reading room same address, hours from 2 to 5 daily except Sunday.

Spiritualism

At the A. O. U. W. Hall, Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, Rev. H. E. Howes, of England, will lecture and give spirit messages. All are invited.

Baptist Church

At 11 a. m. the sermon theme will be "Making Covenants With God." At 8 p. m. the second of a series of sermons on "The Charms of Everyday Life" will be given. Subject, "The Church and the Business Man." Sunday-school and B. Y. P. U. at the usual hours. Everybody is cordially invited to attend these meetings. Conrad L. Owen, pastor.

Presbyterian

Morning worship, 11 o'clock, "The Great Emancipator;" Sabbath-school at 12:15, Y. P. S. C. E. at 7 p. m.

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First Methodist Church

At the morning hour the sermon theme will be "Good Revealed in Christ." In the evening the theme will be "Moved by the Hidden Hand." Other services as follows: Class meeting at 10:15 a. m., Sunday-school at 12:15 p. m., Epworth League at 7 p. m., mid-week service Wednesday at 8 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend. C. C. Rarick, pastor.

Norwegian-Danish M. E. Church

Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday-school at 10 a. m. The choir will sing at the evening service. Scandinavians are cordially invited. O. T. Field, pastor.

Grace Church

Services at Grace Church Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., Sunday-school at 12:30, service at Holy Innocents Chapel at 3:30 p. m. The rector of Grace Church will officiate, as the Rev. Warren is out of town.

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NOW IS YOUR TIME

Today's the last day of the great Piano and Organ sale. Over three carloads sold in 15 days.

FISHED ALL SUMMER WITHOUT LICENSE

TWO SEINERS ARE UNDER ARREST, BUT OFFER AN UNUSUAL DEFENSE

Two arrests have been made for alleged violation of the fishery laws that are entirely different from all the other numerous cases. Tom Taylor and Tom Spencer have been arrested by W. A. Mack, the water bailiff and game and fish warden, on the charge of operating seines without licenses. Mention of these two cases was made in these columns several days ago, but the details of the matter, as gained from Mr. Mack last night, make the matter of considerable interest.

According to Mr. Mack, these two men have operated their seines at the Tongue Point and Cabot grounds all summer long without licenses—which, if true, seems a peculiarly bold thing to do. The licenses cost only \$45 each for seines, while the fine is from \$50 to \$500.

The two men, however, set up a defense as to themselves. They say that at the commencement of the season they deposited the amount of their licenses with the Grant-Tallant Company, for whom they were operating, and they aver that it was and has been their understanding that this money was applied as intended in securing licenses for them. Yet the fact remains, according to the State fishery records—according to Mr. Mack—that no licenses were secured for these men.

Thus it appears that by some error or inadvertence the men failed to secure their licenses, if it be true that their money was handed over to the company.

NOT ORIGINAL INTENT

Old Spanish Mines Exploded in New York Harbor By Authorities

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Three of the mines which were put in New York harbor at the time of the Spanish-American war and have lain in the magazine at Fort Wadsworth ever since they were officially condemned, have been exploded. This took place at the Narrows, near the fort. No boats were allowed to pass that way at the time, the places where the mines were being marked off by floating targets.

The only evidence the spectators got from the explosion was about a thousand stunned fish-fluke, black fish and flounders—which were seen floating directly in front of the fort after the mines had been set off. The soldiers got into small boats at once and every one of them went back to quarters with a good catch for Friday. One soldier got 200. The destruction of the mines was conducted by Captain J. Allen, who is in charge of the fort troops.

CLATSOP POT BEGINS TO SIMMER

CALL FOR MEETING AND ORGANIZATION OF REPUBLICANS OF THIS SECTION

The Republicans of "Old Clatsop" will at once begin operations for the furtherance of the party's interests in this part of the commonwealth as they relate to the presidential election which occurs just 45 days hence. To this end the following call is uttered by the gentlemen signing it, in this behalf, to wit:

"We, the undersigned Republicans of Astoria, believing in the principles of Republicanism, and that the party interests can be advanced by the organization of a Republican club in this locality, hereby enroll ourselves for that purpose, and agree to attend a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce on the 19th day of September, 1908, for perfecting an organization.

- "F. I. DUNBAR,
"WM. A. STINE,
"F. J. CARNEY,
"R. H. VAN TUYL,
"C. R. HIGGINS,
"JOHN C. McCUE,
"HOWARD M. BROWNELL,
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"W. A. SHERMAN,
"G. ZIEGLER,
"F. P. LIENENWEBER,
"A. McLEAN,
"M. R. POMEROY,
"D. H. WELCH,
"FRANK J. TAYLOR,
"FRANK PATTON,
"J. W. GARNER."

Charles E. Lockwood, the well-known attorney of Portland, has been delegated as organizer for the county of Clatsop by the State Republican Central Committee and by the State Committee and by the State Republican Clubs, and will be in the city today, anticipating the action of the Republicans for the meeting tonight.

There will be a pleasant time, and the attendance should be large and enthusiastic, since there has been so little of this sort of thing in the city and county for a long time. There is no manner of doubt that the city and county will ring up their old-time majorities for the great son of Ohio and the friend and type of the present chief executive.

A "DEHYDRO" DINNER

Reversion to Seaweed the Next Step in Food Culture

WAUKESHA, Wis., Sept. 19.—That the process of dehydration may solve the food problem of the world when the population shall have exceeded the food productivity of the earth, by turning the seaweed of the great Sargasso Sea into a valuable food product, was the theory advanced by Judge M. S. Griswold at a "dehydro" banquet given yesterday. The banquet, which was the first of the kind ever served in the world, was prepared by Miss C. A. Lyford, a domestic science expert of the State Normal University at Bloomington, Ill. Addresses were made by Louis Muench, President A. J. Frame, of the Waukesha National Bank; Dr. Hugo Phillip, Prof. E. B. Hutchins, of Carroll College, and others.

BAD RIFLE ACCIDENT ON THE NEHALEM

LOUIS LARSON LOSES LEFT ARM BY EXPLOSION OF A RIFLE CARTRIDGE

Yesterday afternoon at an early hour Louis Larson, a cousin of J. C. Rierison, of the Nehalem, and an employe on that gentleman's farm, arrived in this city with his left eye gone as the result of a bad accident in the woods near his home on Wednesday evening last.

Young Larson, who is but 24 years of age, was out hunting, and in loading his rifle did not securely close the break, and when the hammer fell the cartridge exploded through the break and caught his left eye full with the charge, knocking that member out completely.

Mr. Larson was game enough to stand by his post on the farm even under the severe stress of the pain, as there were several small children in his care aside from the home interests, but he was compelled by the constantly increasing pain and inflammation to abandon the place to the custody of the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Rierison, a lad of 16 years, and seek medical assistance. He came in and visited a physician, who immediately ordered him to Portland for treatment, and he left up on the evening train.

Mr. and Mrs. Rierison were due to return to this city last evening and perhaps passed the young man on the way; at any rate, it is an unhappy state of affairs for all concerned.

BRYAN'S MOVEMENTS

Swinging Through New York State With Plenty of Dates Out

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—After having passed close by New York City early Wednesday on his way to Rochester, N. Y., to address the Democratic State convention, and having hurried through the metropolis yesterday to speak in Delaware, William J. Bryan will stop here today to consult other party leaders at Democratic national headquarters and to deliver at least two political addresses.

Mr. Bryan is expected from Wilmington, Del., where he spoke last night, at 11 o'clock this morning, and will practically spend the day at national headquarters in the Hoffman House. His first address will be at the noonday meeting of the Commercial Travelers' League at 597 Broadway.

In the evening he will be given a dinner by Melbert B. Carey, of Connecticut. At that dinner, besides Mr. Bryan, the guests will be Norman E. Mack, chairman of the Democratic national committee; R. S. Hudspeth, vice-chairman of the committee; Jno. Cox, of Bridgefield, Conn.; Nathan Straus, E. F. Goltra, of St. Louis; Senator Culbertson and Congressman R. L. Johnson, of Texas, and R. E. Curtis, Mr. Carey's son-in-law.

Tonight he will speak at a mass meeting in Carnegie Hall.

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