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TERSE TALES OF THE TOWN

Declaration Filed—
Declaration of intention to become a citizen was filed yesterday by Louis Andrew, native of Greece.

Visit To Warrenton—
Miss Warren, county school superintendent, returned yesterday afternoon from Warrenton, where she had gone the previous evening to inspect the school there.

Sickness In Portland—
Portland is being visited by an epidemic of scarlet fever and 60 cases have been reported during the past month. The disease is in very mild form, though there have been four deaths thus far.

Scotch Collie Impounded—
The dog catcher has taken up a fine Scotch collie, which was found running the streets without a license. It is a young dog. It is probable that the owners will be around today to get it out, and now they will have to pay the license plus the pound fees.

Are Good Boys Now—
For the past two nights there has hardly been a boy to be seen on the streets of Uppertown, as they evidently have taken the hint and are staying at home as closely as mice. A police officer in plain clothes went up there again last night, but he didn't see a single lad out.

Adair Drain Meeting—
There will be a meeting tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the McGregor mill mess house for the purpose of discussing the Adair drain question. The meeting was called by Mayor Smith, and members of the city council, other city officials, and all citizens who are interested in the matter, are expected to be present.

Warrants Issued—
Warrants were issued in justice court yesterday afternoon for the arrest of Anton Kuljis of Clifton, on a charge of running a blind pig, and for the arrest of Nicholas and Joseph Vitolsch, also of Clifton, on a charge of assaulting a man. The sheriff and one of his deputies went up river last night to make the arrests.

Scarlatina Cases—
The two little sons of Mr. and Mrs. Ziegler are reported as getting along nicely with their attacks of scarlatina, though yesterday Mrs. Ziegler was said to be almost sick herself with the work and worry of watching the little fellows. Because of the quarantine it is almost impossible for friends to lend any aid, either.

Smoker For Judges—
In honor of Judge Thomas A. McBride, who will succeed Supreme Judge Robert S. Bean when the latter goes on the Federal bench, and of Hon. James U. Campbell, who will become Circuit Judge of the Fifth Judicial district, the Commercial Club of Oregon City will give a smoker at their club rooms next Wednesday evening.

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Big Glass Windows—
One of the big plateglass windows in the Wise store, which had been cracked by some one falling against it, was replaced yesterday by a new pane. The window was insured and the new glass was put in by the insurance company. A large and beautiful plateglass was yesterday put in the new front of the Palace restaurant, and this perhaps is the largest single pane in the city. It is 6 by 13 feet, and was put in by Contractor Palmberg and a force of men.

Begged, Then Drunk—
Olla Oja, a Finn who has not been in this country very long, is under arrest at the police station on a charge of begging. It seems that Ajo likes to drink, and when his money runs out he goes out on the street and begs alms of passersby, and the money thus readily secured he spends for more booze. In this way life is becoming a continual round of pleasure for Ajo, until a police officer ran him in. He lives in Seaside, it is said, and will appear in police court today, as the city attorney was out of the city yesterday.

Old Survey Marks—
The marks discovered on the rock along the waterfront where the new August Danielson building is going up, are said to be marks left from the geodetic survey, made many years ago. It is also said that right along there somewhere are marks in a rock left by the crew of the ship Shark, which entered the river many, many years ago. At present there is a mark on the custom house which is used as a base mark for the surveys, and also one on the jail, which, however, was taken from the one on the custom house.

Motor Boat Club—
At a meeting of the Motor Boat Club in the Chamber of Commerce rooms last night the colors were decided upon as red, white and blue, and at the next meeting of the club, which will probably be next Friday night, the design of the pennant will be decided upon. It was also decided to build a float to which the boats may be moored. The float will be placed in the space between the A. & C. property and the Clatsop mills. There are about 30 members of the organization, and of these about 25 own their own craft. There seems to be ample room for such an organization here and much is expected of the club.

Gazed Over Empty Benches—
The Eugene newspapers are sore over the "scant reception accorded Norman Hackett" on last Wednesday evening in that city and scores the Lillian Russell show and the Eugene Register winds up its article by saying: "And yet, the fair Lillian drew a packed house, while Hackett gazed dejectedly over the footlights to rows of empty benches. Away with real art and refined acting and back to the slap-stick and leather pie! Heigho! What a commentary upon the appreciation of the discriminating playgoer!" Probably the Lillian aggregation cut her show there the same as she did here.

Grand Ball.
In Suomi Hall, Uniontown, Saturday evening, April 24th. Music by the Pacific Orchestra. Admission 50 cents. Ladies free.

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Stops Here Awhile—
Link C. Burton, Deputy Fish Warden of the State of Washington, arrived in this port last evening on the fisheries patrol boat Nola, and with his engineer, William Pomeroy, a brother of Sheriff M. E. Pomeroy, of this city and county, paid the office of the Morning Astorian a visit. Mr. Burton said the story of the fishing going on up in the Kalama neighborhood, was greatly exaggerated; and that there was, practically, no fishing going on on the Columbia at any point save some few, remote cases, that will occur in any season or out of it. He claims that the fishermen of this section are holding steadfastly to the law as a general thing everywhere he has patrolled this year; a fact that has caused him more or less surprise, under the circumstances. Mr. Burton also announces that he is thinking seriously of abandoning his post as deputy warden, and taking up his hotel interests at Kalama, owing to the fact that throat trouble is growing upon him, and he desires to rest from the work he pursued so steadily for some years past. He left up on the Nola for his Kalama home last evening.

Doesn't Want License—
It was stated yesterday by one of the members of the council that I. Rosendale, who for the second time has applied for a license for the "Owl" saloon, now says that he doesn't want the license inasmuch as Councilmen Fox and Schmidt of the committee on health and police, have insisted that changes be made in the place before any license be issued. The brewery people have agreed to make the changes and thereupon it is said that Rosendale announced that he would not want the license with the entrances to the cribs and joints cut off. One of the councilmen who made an inspection of the saloon said that, which he had lived in Astoria for a good many years, he never had the least idea that such a place as the "Owl" saloon existed here. It has various connections and passages ways to and from the dives, and entrance to the place may be had even from Bond street. But it is said that it is not unlike other places in this respect.

Gets 35 Days—
In justice court yesterday afternoon, Carl Hanson, accused of stealing a watch and a rifle from Andrew Peterson, was found guilty and sentenced to 35 days in the county jail by Judge Goodman. He was immediately taken to the jail by Constable Jack Sayer. Hanson is a big, powerfully built man, with a face betokening frankness and determination. For a time he lived with Peterson in the latter's scow. One time nearly two years ago both were out on a wild spree and at its conclusion Peterson was in the hospital and somehow, Hanson found himself with his partner's watch. Probably he stole it—at least, he evidently took it and it was pawned, though later recovered by Chief Oberg. Hanson left town immediately, and though he was back here seven months ago was not then arrested. He was charged with burglary, a state prison offense, but because of the character of the testimony Judge Goodman suggested that the charge would best be changed to a simple misdemeanor, which was done and the sentence of 35 days imposed. Hanson was probably guilty, though it might have been difficult to prove anything more than a constructive felonious intent. It looked like a case of necessarily punishing Phillip sober for the acts of Phillip drunk.

At Missionary Council—
The week-day services at Grace church will be omitted this week, as the rector will be out of town in attendance at the second meeting of the missionary council of the eighth department, which meets in Spokane, April 28th to May 1st. The delegates from Oregon are the Rev. Drs. Morrison and Rev. Waters, and Mr. Beck from Portland, and the Rev. Wm. Seymour Short from Astoria. The lay delegates are M. H. Gruber, I. H. Amos and W. H. Smith of Portland and Frank Spittle of Astoria. This eighth department comprises the dioceses and missionary districts within the States of Idaho, Utah, Washington, Oregon, Nevada, California, and the territories of Arizona, Alaska, Hawaii and the Philippine Islands ("all out doors" as it has been said) these councils meet annually and have legislative authority but particularly are advisory to the general board of missions which meets triennially in conjunction with the general convention. Bishop Scadding expects to be in Astoria Sunday, May 2nd, to administer the rite of confirmation at the 11 a. m. service, and in Seaside for the same purpose on the evening of the same day, and at Spikanon in St. Thomas' Chapel on Monday afternoon, May 3rd, at 3 o'clock.

Notice to Contractors.
Sealed bids for making certain improvements and alterations to the A. O. U. W. Hall on Ninth street will be received at the office of the undersigned until Saturday, May 1st, separate bids for the painting of the entire building will also be received. Plans and specifications are now ready. The Trustees reserve the right to reject any and all bids.
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PERSONAL MENTION

Hon. J. G. Megler was in the city yesterday, from the north shore, on matters of business.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil McDonough, of Bear Cliff, arrived in the city yesterday, from Bear Cliff, on the last stage of their wedding journey, and are guests at the home of Mrs. Ford and Miss McCrea.

M. R. Johnson, sales agent for the National Biscuit Company, at Portland, was a business visitor in this city yesterday.

William Kelly, the well known fuel merchant, is mending rapidly from his recent indisposition, though he is yet confined to his Grand avenue home.

W. H. McNair, of Ashland, and his bride, arrived in this city yesterday, to visit at the home of Mr. McNair's sister, Mrs. F. L. Fry. This is one of the pleasant phases of their honeymoon trip. Mr. McNair is a prominent druggist at Ashland.

D. A. Skarpe, of this city, left on last evening's express, for Breckenridge, Mich., on a call to some member of his home family, who is ill.

W. C. Secrist, North Pacific Coast agent for the New York Central lines was a business visitor here yesterday.

Miss Rose Osmondson has returned from her visit to Seattle, and has resumed her position as pianiste at the Jewel theatre.

J. B. Conesidine, of Bremerton, was a business visitor in this city yesterday, and was quartered at the Hotel Northern.

H. T. Rasmussen, of Tacoma, spent the day here yesterday on a business quest, and was a guest at the Merwyn.

K. T. Yarnell, of Medford, was among the business tourists in Astoria yesterday, and was domiciled at the Occident.

J. C. Farrington, of Spokane, was doing business in this city yesterday and went homeward on the evening express at 6:10 o'clock.

C. H. Abercrombie was a hoisting passenger on the Portland train which arrived here at 9:50 last evening.

Miss Eva Holmes returned to this city from Portland on last night's train.

Col. John Adair was among the crowd alighting from the 9:50 express here last night.

Young Men's Day Tomorrow—
Services will be held at 11 o'clock Sunday at the M. E. Baptist, Presbyterian and Uppertown M. E. churches

REALTY TRANSFERS

Columbia Beach Co to Walter F. Kull, lot 2, block 34, Neacoxie; \$225.

Northern Pacific Railway Co. to E. Z. Ferguson, NW. 4 of NE. 4 of S. 19, T. 6 N., R. 6 W.; \$240.

Astoria-Warrenton Land Co. to Henry Nivala, lot 4 and west half of lot 5, block 58, Upper Astoria; \$500.

John S. Maginnis and wife to John Rupp et al, lots 1-8, S. 4, T. 4 N., R. 7 W.; \$1.

Marie G. Haven and husband to A. B. Snider, lot 2, block 34, Adair's; \$25; also lot 6, block 14, Adair's; \$50.



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Corned Beef.	6c and 8c
Dry Salt Pork.	12c
Pickled Pork.	12c
Hamburg Steak.	10c
Roast Veal.	12c, 15c
Smith's Famous Pork Sausage.	12c
Smith's Sugar-cured Hams.	15c
Smith's Breakfast Bacon.	17c
Veal Cutlets.	12c, 15c
Roast Veal.	10c, 12c, 15c
Pork Chops.	12c, 15c
Roast Pork.	10c, 12c, 15c
Beefsteak.	10c, 12c, 15c
Roast Beef.	8c, 9c, 10c, 12c, 15c
Beef for boiling.	6c, 7c
Razor Clams, per dozen.	10c
Deep Sea Halibut.	10c
Fresh Willamette River Salmon.	15c
Fresh Ranch Eggs, per dozen.	25c
Fresh Creamery Butter, square.	50c

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