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NEWS NOTES OF VANCOUVER

Happenings at the Barracks and in the Columbia Town.

(Journal Special Service.) VANCOUVER, Jan. 13.—Some notes from the barracks are as follows: Recruit William P. Strehlow, enlisted by the recruiting officer, Portland, Ore., is assigned to Company L, 17th Infantry...

OREGON CITY SCHOOL DIRECTORS

Brownell's Following in Clackamas Are Jubilant.

OREGON CITY, Jan. 12.—The Board of School Directors met last evening in regular session. The work of the principal of the Barclay School was lightened and W. W. Mars, janitor of the Eastman School, was granted a raise in salary...

BROWNELL PEOPLE REJOICE

Personal and political friends of George C. Brownell are feeling very jubilant over his first success at the Legislature. He was sent many telegrams of congratulations from his home town...

MINOR MATTERS

Rev. Frank H. Musell was installed last evening as the new pastor of the Presbyterian Church of this city before a large audience. Special music had been prepared for the occasion by the choir...

THE SALVATION ARMY.

The midwinter camping at 123 First street is going with a whirl. The large hall is well filled every night. Sunday night the place was packed, many standing and others turned away because of the lack of room...

English writers sometimes poke fun at American "yellow journals" for indulging in personalities...

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This coupon and 10 cents will entitle lady to choice reserved seat Corday's Theatre, Tuesday evening, January 13, to witness the beautiful romantic drama in five acts "The Dowry" by the Sea. Present this coupon at box office theatre, for choice reserved seat.

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LARGEST RUG IN AMERICA. Made in Berlin for New York Chamber of Commerce Hall.

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One of the foremost of the new building of the Chamber of Commerce in New York that has attracted great attention is the enormous rug upon the marble floor of the large assembly room. This rug, which was designed and furnished by Messrs. W. and J. Sloane of New York, is a hand-tufted Berlin, 50 feet 8 inches by 37 feet 8 inches, and weighs 2,750 pounds. The rug is the largest and handsomest carpet woven in one piece which has ever been brought to this country, and it is so heavy that it took 40 men to carry it into the Chamber of Commerce Building.

DEVELOP GOLDEN WES

"It is a minor, but nevertheless important, incident in the life of a few days after the issue of the order in Washington that pea blowers, popguns, etc., were not to be allowed upon our streets, that a police official in this month of the Star published a dispatch from Chicago in which it appeared that by reason of a boy blowing a pea into the face of a motorman on an electric car, the pain caused him to release his charge of powder. Being careless the small boy found in whose hands the weapon is thoughtlessly and wrongly placed by parents, escapes unseen, whereas he ought to be apprehended and fined as severely as other offenders against the peace.

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GRAND RIDGE AND ISSAQUAH \$6.50 The most economical household fuel on the market. Talk to KING COAL CO. Oct 1902.

NEW LEGAL CONSTRUCTION

In the case of Francis Barker and J. G. Martin, who sold the City View Hotel to W. H. Wilson, Attorney J. D. Bronaugh argued before Circuit Judge Sears yesterday that the law of 1901 which requires that an affidavit be obtained from owners before sale is made touching their indebtedness, does not hold in cases of hotels. In this case, after the hotel had been sold, Mr. Gaglietta attached the hotel for a sum for goods sold the former owner, and the present owners want the attachment set aside. The decision will be rendered in a few days.

Advertising a Church.

A metropolitan church has adopted the method of painting an advertising sign on its building wall to call the attention to it of the passer-by. The sign which has just been placed on the south wall of the Manhattan Congregational Church is probably the first of its kind that has ever been seen in New York. The Rev. Dr. H. A. Stimson, the pastor, was asked why the sign was painted. He replied: "The Manhattan Church believes in calling the attention of the people in its neighborhood to the fact that the church is there. We have signs on the front of the church, and a short time ago one of our officers thought we should take advantage of the fact that the lot on the south side of the building is vacant, and put up a large sign, one that could be seen 'way down Broadway on our south wall. This officer was not favorably impressed with the idea that he offered to pay for the painting of the sign, and his offer was accepted."

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