

# SOLICITORS SHUT OFF FROM SHIPS

## Rule in Vogue on Atlantic Coast Placed in Force Here This Morning.

### PERMISSION MUST BE HAD TO BOARD VESSEL

#### Oriental Liner Numantia First to Be Affected by the Enforcement of Rule Which Heretofore Has Been Ignored Here.

The dozen or more solicitors who went to meet the German steamer Numantia when she arrived this morning at Montgomery dock were surprised upon being refused permission to come on board by the custom house officers, unless each one presented an order from the officer in charge of the deck. Some secured permission and others failed. The regulation came like a thunderbolt from a clear sky but it is said that it will meet with general approval after having been tried for a while.

In explanation the custom house officers who kept guard at the gangplank stated that the rule prohibiting people from boarding foreign steamers has been in vogue for a long time on the Atlantic coast but out here the law has never been observed. For many months past there has existed considerable rivalry between solicitors for the shipbuilders and other businesses who cater to the trade of the ships, and competition grew so warm that it became customary for some of them to board incoming vessels down the river from launches. One of the firms objected to the expense of the trip and to launch every time a ship came in and no in order to get an even deal complained to the customs department in Washington with the result that instructions were issued to allow no one on board until such person has presented permission from the captain or the officer in charge. The new rule will mean that whatever favoritism is shown in the distribution of business will be settled at the gangplank instead of on board of the steamer as the solicitor having the friendship of the person in authority to buy will get aboard while his competitor may have to whistle and wait on the dock.

The Numantia was 20 days making the run from Yokohama to the Columbia river. Captain Pass is filling the position of Captain Feldmann who was sick at Hongkong with the grip. The officers report high seas but no severe storms coming across. A great deal of very cold weather was experienced and this made it disagreeable for the coals burners.

The Numantia's cargo consists of 8,900 tons of coal, some for the Walla Walla penitentiary, and about 1,000 tons of general Chinese merchandise. She will load a full cargo of flour outward.

## HERE FOR LUMBER

### Norwegian Steamer Thyra Arrives From San Francisco.

The Norwegian steamer Thyra, Captain Peterson, and the steamer Alliance, Captain Kelly, arrived in the harbor last night, the former from San Francisco and the latter from Coos Bay. The Thyra went to the mills of the Portland Lumber company and commenced loading lumber for China.

The Thyra met with an accident since her about six months ago and has been undergoing repairs at San Francisco for quite a while. Captain Berger is now at San Francisco figuring up the amount of the damage to the hull and when that has been completed he will probably leave for Norway to bring out a new steamer.

The steamer Alliance arrived up at 5 o'clock last night and docked at the foot of Couch street. She brought a small shipment of coal, about 1,600 cases of salmon and a lot of general freight. She brought 41 passengers.

## ALONG THE WATERFRONT

The French bark Jaques will finish discharging cement this afternoon. She is under charter to load wheat for Europe.

The steamer Strathford will probably finish loading wheat at the Oceanic dock this afternoon. She has been in the harbor for a long time.

The British ship Brodick Castle shifted from the mills of Inman, Poulsen & Company to Linton, this morning.

The steam schooner Chas. Nelson is due to arrive here this evening, as is also the Harriman liner, Costa Rica.

Inman, Poulsen & Company intend erecting a new wharf at Linton, the old one from which lumber is now being loaded. The new wharf will have about 550 feet of frontage.

A Johansen, a fireman of the steamer Hercules, lost \$150 yesterday by dropping it into the river. He stepped over and the pocketbook slid into the water.

The steamer Meteor is taking coal at the bunkers. Her place will soon be taken by the Japanese steamer Kichikiri Maru, which is ready to sail for Japan, except for the lack of 400 tons of coal in her bunkers.

The steam schooner Jim Butler is loading lumber at Linton. She will finish Monday night and sail for San Francisco.

The steamer Kilburn left up at 11:20 a. m. and should reach Oak street dock at 8 o'clock tonight.

E. S. Edwards, local inspector of hulls, has recovered from an attack of pneumonia and will be at his office in the custom-house building Monday.

The North Pacific Steamship company's steamer Rosanoke, Captain Dunbar, is due to arrive here tomorrow. She left Eureka yesterday afternoon.

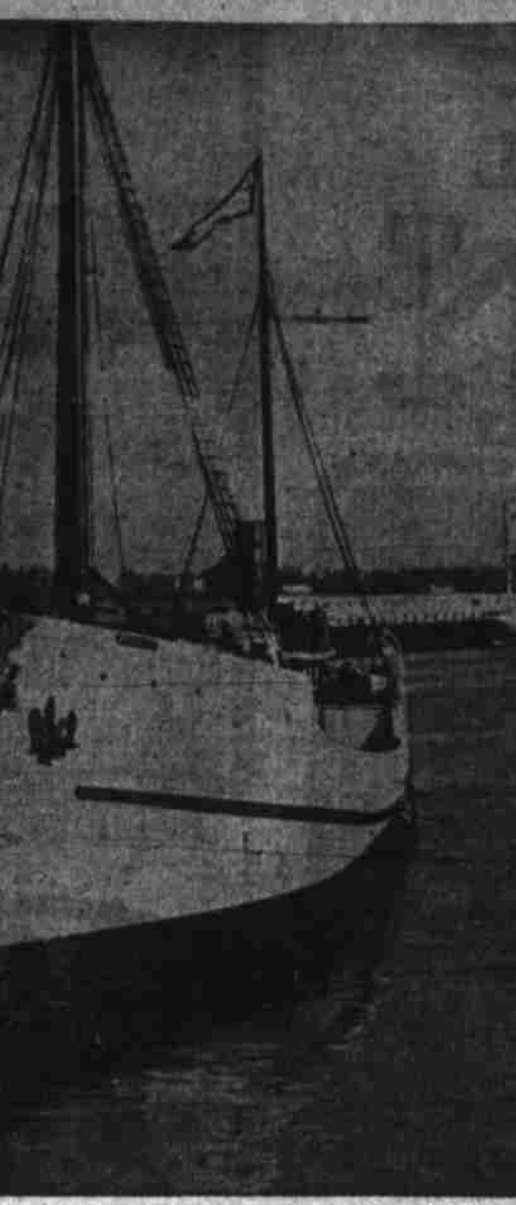
## MARINE NOTES

Astoria, Feb. 22.—Left up at 7 a. m.—Steamer Atlas and Redondo. Arrived down at 7:30 a. m.—Steamer Johan Poulsen. Arrived at 7:30 and left up at 11:20 a. m.—Steamer F. A. Kilburn. From San Francisco and way port. Arrived at 7:10 and left up at 8:30 a. m.—Steamer Chas. Nelson. From San Francisco. Arrived own at 8:30 a. m.—British steamer Cymeria. Left up at 8 a. m.—Ships Kilburn and Sistrum. Arrived at 11:30 a. m.—Steamer Costa Rica.

## HOOP OF GOLD

Tonight, tomorrow and night are the last chances to see "Hoop of Gold," the famous play which created a sensation in London and New York several seasons ago, and which is being produced by the Lyric theatre stock company this week with much success. Free and public have satiated during the week in de-

## STEAM SCHOONER ON TRIAL TRIP



The Helene, Built in Hoquiam and Portland.

# SONG WRITER GIVEN THREE DAYS TO LEAVE THE TOWN

Among the celebrities in attendance at the session of the police court this morning was James Holohan, the eminent song writer and author of a number of unpublished successes.

Judge Cameron, although introduced to Mr. Holohan by Patrolman Goltz who had volunteered to escort the distinguished guest to the bench, was unaware of his great song writing ability until the prisoner modestly informed the court of his avocation.

"Yes sir, my business is that of writing song poems," said Holohan throwing out his chest and smiling.

"Well, what is the title of your latest song?" asked the court.

"When the Orange Blossoms Are in Bloom," replied the defendant.

"Any other song that you have composed recently?" inquired the magistrate.

"Yes sir I wrote a rag time selection

entitled 'Can't you Stop, You're Only Fooling Me.' "I must confess that I did not know that we had such genius in our midst," commented Judge Cameron, "but it is my opinion that the community can well afford to lose you so you can have until 3 o'clock to leave the city."

Humming "I don't know where I'm going but I'm on my way," Holohan left the court room.

A part of the chorus of his song, "When the Orange Blossoms Are in Bloom," as dictated by him to a Journal representative is as follows:

"On the banks of the grand Miami river,  
When the orange blossoms are in bloom,  
There awaits my dear Eliza,  
When the orange blossoms are in bloom,  
How I long for those dear childhood  
When the orange blossoms are in bloom."

## AT THE THEATRES

**The Empire Tonight and Tomorrow.**  
The Jolly comedians, Fred Mace, supported by an excellent cast and chorus, will be the attraction at the Empire theatre, Fourteenth and Washington streets tonight and tomorrow night, the musical comedy "The Empire." The company includes Edith Yerrington, Gussie Baker, Katherine Bunn, Harry Hanson, George Damsel, Helene Sallinger, Bradlee Morris, Bert Young, Jessie Sigmond and many others, including the famous Empire "brothers." Seats selling at theatre for both nights.

## CLAIMS COPYRIGHT ON THE NAME OF "RALSTON"

Topeka Millers File Suit Against the Acme Mills of Portland.

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The complainant asks for a permanent injunction restraining the Acme Mills company from using the term.

## RURAL MAIL CARRIERS IN CONVENTION AT ALBANY

Albany, Or., Feb. 22.—The annual convention of the members of the R. F. D. association of Linn and Benton counties was held in this city yesterday. The annual election of officers was held and resulted in the selection of H. M. Cummings of Corvallis as president, R. B. Cornett of Albany as vice-president, R. B. Houser of Albany as secretary and G. M. Martin of Corvallis as treasurer. The annual dinner was held in the G. A. R. hall. Many delegates were in attendance and the list includes members of other outside organizations. An invitation was accepted to meet with the Marion county association in the spring.

Those in attendance were as follows: Albany, E. B. Cornett, Oscar Whitlow, S. I. Swisher, R. E. Houser, Walter Govro, W. H. Werrell, Roland Hackleman, Mrs. J. H. Goins and Walter Govro; Solo, F. G. Carey, Thomas, Lester Holt; Tangent, L. F. Smith; Brownsville, F. M. Jacks; Sheed, William McCormick, J. A. Cochran and David Sherer; Corvallis, H. M. Cummings, Ben M. Martin, O. E. Conner and C. Lee Vee.

Visitors from other organizations were J. W. Cox and J. A. Remington of Salem and Frans Krabberger of Aurora. The latter gave a report of the national convention at Peoria, Illinois, having been the state delegate to that meeting.

The local association has a membership of 35 and is possibly the strongest in the state. A decisive movement in favor of good roads was advocated and the association pledged itself to do everything possible to bring about this result.

## SMELT WERE NEVER SO ABUNDANT IN COWLITZ

Kelso, Wash., Feb. 22.—John Galloway and Ed Galloway caught 52 boxes of smelt in the Cowlitz river a little above Kelso in less than one hour. The fish were running so thick that they had to tie knots in the ends of their nets to keep them from filling so full that they could not lift them into the boat. Galloway has fished smelt for years and says he has seen the smelt pretty thick but this is the heaviest catch he has ever made in the same length of time.

# SEE PICTURES AND HEAR MUSIC OF SPAIN

## Members of Woman's Club Also Protest Against Slaughter of Birds.

An afternoon of music and pictures from Spain, the land of romance, was enjoyed by the members of the Women's club yesterday. A large attendance witnessed the interest which the subject aroused.

Mrs. Alice Weisner gave a talk on Spain, illustrated by stereoscopic views, many of which were from her own photographs. Her ready narrative and keen observations added much to the interest of the subject.

Senor A. R. Vajar delivered an address in Spanish on the "Intellectual Conquest of the Western Hemisphere." Music was furnished by the Mandolin and Guitar club under the direction of the leader, M. B. Palacios, and was much enjoyed. Two of the compositions rendered were his own, and they were received with much enthusiasm.

Adrian Epping sang the Torsador song from Carmen with much spirit.

Under the able presidency of Mrs. Wynn Johnson, the club has enjoyed splendid progress, and she and her program committee were highly complimented on the interest of yesterday's program.

At the business meeting the question of the slaughter of song birds was brought up and a resolution was passed protesting against house bill 347, which has been the subject of much adverse criticism by bird lovers. The president was empowered to write to Governor Chamberlain a signed letter of protest on behalf of the club.

## COLONIAL COSTUMES ADD LUSTER TO RECEPTION

### Rockey Residence Scene of Function of Daughters of American Revolution.

The Daughters of the American Revolution gave their annual reception yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. E. Rocky. About 500 guests attended and it was a brilliant function. All those assisting in entertaining were dressed in gowns of the colonial period.

Mrs. J. B. Montgomery, state regent, Mrs. Warren E. Thomas, Multnomah chapter regent, Mrs. T. M. Anderson, vice regent, and Mrs. E. H. Rocky were present. They were assisted by a bevy of Frisella maidens—Mrs. W. C. Noon, Jr., Miss Jeanne Gray, Miss Grace Gray, Miss Louise Carey, Miss Janet Thomas, Miss Ruth Honeyman, Miss Alice Carey, Miss Beulah Nichols, Miss Eliza Parker, Miss Janet Noble and Miss Helen Altmyer. Punch was served by Miss Alice Sanborn and Miss Anderson, Little Paul Goodwin and Jane Hoge, an George Washington and Martha Washington in miniature admitted the guests. An orchestra played through the afternoon.

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## "AT HOME" IN THE ROOMS OF THE Y. W. C. A.

Mrs. J. L. Patterson to Be the Association's Hostess Tomorrow.

The Young Women's Christian association will hold "At Home" tomorrow (Sunday) afternoon at the association rooms, Sixth and Oak streets, from 4 to 6.

The hostess of the afternoon will be Mrs. J. L. Patterson. The "Drop in" Bible class will be in charge of Mrs. James Mackenzie, and Mrs. J. C. Buckley will speak in the "Little Journey" room. The musical program will be as follows: Piano solo, Miss Hazel Ralston; selection, Amphion Quartette; violin solo, Miss Cornelia Barker; vocal solo, member of Amphion Quartette; selection, Amphion Quartette; address, "Life Circles," Miss Mary E. Day. All young women are cordially invited.

## PERSONALS

Mrs. W. H. Daughtrey, wife of the president of the Portland Union stock yards, who had been very ill as a result of an operation at the St. Vincent hospital, was reported to be in a slightly improved condition today.

**Hundred Bodies Recovered.**  
(Journal Special Service.)  
Eagle Pass, Tex., Feb. 22.—A hundred bodies, 49 of them those of Japanese, have been taken from the mine at Lee Esperanza, Mexico.

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## QUARTER BLOCK IN NORTH PORTLAND SOLD

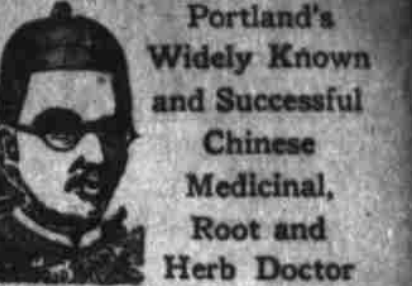
The Kunkle investment company purchased this morning the quarter-block at the northeast corner of Eighth and Irving streets. The property belonged to W. M. Munn, and was sold for \$11,000. Four nine-room dwellings occupy the site. The sale was made through the agency of Holiam, Gross & Higley.

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## YOUNG DRIVER IS HURT IN COLLISION

As the result of a collision between the delivery wagon he was driving and a car of the "U" line at Williams avenue and Page street last night, William Potage, 16 years of age, residing at 455 Commercial street, was so seriously injured that it was necessary to remove him to St. Vincent's hospital for treatment. Unless complications occur the lad will recover.

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