

# JAPANESE CONSUL HOST AT PATRIOTIC BANQUET

### Entertains Business Men of Portland in Honor of Birthday of His Emperor—Spirit of Cordiality and Good Will Manifested in Speeches.

In honor of the birthday of the emperor of Japan, an elaborate banquet was given last evening at the Portland hotel by Yasutaro Numano, Japanese consul in this city. The occasion was notable for the spirit of cordiality and good will which pervaded the remarks of the speakers, and for the assurances of close commercial alliance and friendship between this nation and the island empire.

Mr. Numano, the host of the evening, has gained distinction in the diplomatic service of Japan, having filled important positions both in Europe and the orient. His appointment to the consulate of Portland is viewed as a strong indication of the desire of the Japanese government to cultivate still closer commercial relations with this port.

In his remarks Mr. Numano laid stress upon the amicable relations that have existed between the two nations in the past, and declared that the idea that Japan desires war with this country is utterly mistaken. In well chosen words he dwelt upon the mikado's appreciation of the advantages which had resulted from the intercourse of his people with America, and upon his desire that the bonds be cemented which unite the two countries.

James Laidlaw, the British consul, was the first speaker of the evening, responding to the toast "His Majesty the Emperor of Japan." Mr. Numano followed with a graceful tribute to the president of the United States, and Mayor Lane spoke briefly in behalf of the city of Portland.

James Laidlaw, the British consul, president of the Port of Portland commission, replied to the toast, "The State of Oregon." A fitting special stress upon the benefits that will result to commerce between the United States and Japan when the Columbia river has been deepened.

B. Ohta, who represents in the Pacific northwest some of the most extensive commercial interests of his countrymen, alluded to the historic visit of Commodore Perry to Japan, and said:

**Wedding of Nations.**  
"Curiously enough, Commodore Perry set sail for Japan in the very same year that our emperor, whose birthday we are celebrating, was born. It was the year 1852, and not only the same year but the same month, November. General Sherman, if not the great general, came to Japan, from which the present close and cordial relations originated, can be called the wedding day of the two countries, we are now approaching our diamond wedding. For so many years the United States has been kind and warm-hearted to Japan, and it is this hospitality 'ill continue forever to us, the better half."

W. D. Wheelwright, responding to the toast "The Commercial Community of Portland," said in part:

"It has often been my privilege to express an Anglo-Saxon's appreciation of the remarkable oriental race that now occupies the world's field of vision and completely outshines any other in our time, and I have never attempted to do so with greater pleasure than on this occasion, when we are all the guests of the distinguished gentleman who now occupies the post of Japanese consul."

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## MEN WHO BET ON ELECTION GO FREE

E. Deldrich Jr., the clerk in Schiller's cigar store, who recorded an election bet Sunday, and A. Pease and J. Matches, the parties to the bet, had their cases dismissed in the municipal court this morning. It was found that no city ordinance covers the offense of making an election bet, and the defense set up the plea that the men were wagering on the outcome of the will of the people and therefore were not gambling at all.

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## HIS "WHISKERS" IS AMBITIOUS



Alastair Wilkie of Perth, Scotland, who has arrived in this country, sports a beard 10 feet long. Mr. Wilkie says he would like to marry an American girl.

## VIOLATE SAFETY APPLIANCE ACT

Charging that the Sumpter Valley Railway company and the Oregon Lumber company, with headquarters in Baker City, have violated the safety appliance act relative to having cars equipped with automatic couplers and air brakes, the United States government, by District Attorney John McCourt, this morning filed suit in the federal district court stating that the defendants are liable in the sum of \$1,300, and asks judgment for that amount.

## PARK KEEPER FILES REPORT

Park Keeper Mische, in his monthly report to the park board this morning, advises the adoption by the board of a policy refusing to become a party to any dedications of park land or rights of way therein hereafter without having previously fixed upon a plan of park improvements.

## ARRIVAL OF A GIRL BABY DELAYS TRIAL

"Cap'n Speler," shouted Bailiff Riley about 40 times in the corridors of the police court this morning. "Cap'n Speler," roared Riley again. The magnificent loac columns of the hallway echoed—that was all the answer made.

## BENEFIT FOR ROSE EYTINGE AT HELIG

Mrs. Mina Crollus Gleason of the Baker stock company is preparing a benefit performance for Rose Eytinge to be given at the Helig theatre the afternoon of November 19. Many former pupils of Mrs. Eytinge will participate in the benefit, as well as actors from the various theatres of the city.

## WHALER BELUGA AMID ICE FLOES

### Seaman Perishes in the Bitter Cold While Working to Save Ship.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
San Francisco, Nov. 6.—Bringing a cargo of five whales and 5,000 pounds of bone, the whaler Beluga, the first of the big fleet heading for this port, arrived here today. The officers and crew tell of the narrow escape of the vessel from ice floes in a driving storm on August 8, during which one of the

crew succumbed to cold and the others were badly frostbitten. The Beluga was among the icebergs off Unalaska when the storm struck her. Lashed to the wheel, Captain Porter directed the craft so as to avoid the big bergs as they were driven toward the Beluga by the gale. The men were compelled to work for hours in the cold and B. F. Ballinger of the crew died of exposure. The rest narrowly escaped perishing. During the storm the Beluga lost her masttop and mainmast, but managed to retain her precious cargo.

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