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NO SEPTEMBER TERM. Judge Smith Concludes Not to Open Court Tomorrow.

A question having arisen as to the legality of judicial proceedings which might be taken at the proposed September term of the circuit court in this county, Judge Smith, yesterday, concluded that he would hold no term of court here, and the whole business goes over to January, it being deemed preferable to take such action rather than run the risk of invalidating judgements, etc., were court held.

The reason for such extraordinary action lies in the ridiculous legislation of last winter. A bill was passed providing that the terms of the circuit court of the fifth judicial district should be held in this county on the second Monday in January, the third Monday in May and the first Monday in September. This was eminently proper, increasing as it did the term from two to three each year, the old rule being a term in January and one in August. This act was approved February 7th, 1876.

A few days afterward an act went through "creating the county of Gilliam." Section 6 of this act reads as follows: "The said county of Gilliam is hereby attached to the fifth judicial district for judicial purposes; and the term of the circuit court for said county shall be held at the county seat of said county on the third Monday in February and the first Monday in September of each year. It will be noticed that the September term of court at Astoria and Alkali both begin on the same day. But in the energetic disagreement on the question of United States senator the gentleman at Salem failed to observe the inconsistency. In the opinion of Judge Smith the latter act repeals by implication the act of the 7th—being the later; in this the judge is sustained by numerous precedents which in effect decide that where two legislative acts exist the terms of which conflict with each other, the one last passed repeals by implication the preceding one; according to this there is no September term of court in this county.

COMMON COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS. The city council met in special session last evening; present, councilmen Bergman, Cooper, Cleveland, Gratre and Trenchard; councilman Trenchard in the chair.

A communication from the chief of police was read and filed. An ordinance ordering the auditor and clerk to issue and annex warrants to tax roll of '85, was read first and second times and passed under suspension of the rules. An ordinance "validating certain acts of the treasurer of the city of Astoria relative to tax roll of '85," was read first and second times and passed under suspension of the rules.

The following claims were ordered paid: Arndt & Ferchen, \$42.50; E. R. Hawes, 55 cents; L. Hartwig, \$8; M. Conlan, \$2.45; many persons, \$1.10; THE ASTORIAN, \$43.24; W. E. Dement, \$27.58; Carl Adler \$10. Following claims were referred: Sherman Bros., \$2.25; Griffin & Reed, \$1.50; Clatsop Mill Co., \$48.90; Jno. Fassell, \$25.25; M. R. Kipp, \$1.

The council then discussed the matter of the bond given the Clatsop Mill Co., in payment for the lots over which it was proposed to build Ferrell street. The council decided to refuse to pay the interest when it came due and repudiate the bond. On motion the council adjourned.

IN NORTHERN WATERS. Henry Manderson, a Tacoma journalist, who accompanied the Alaska Commercial company's ship, St. Paul, to Behring's sea, gives some interesting reminiscences of his experience.

He left San Francisco aboard the St. Paul, May 4th last, and remained until the arrival back of that vessel. The Alaska company has ten large vessels engaged in the sealing business. They started out for 100,000 seals, and got 99,996, just four less than they had figured upon. The St. Paul was anchored in the middle of Behring's sea nearly the whole summer. It was a foggy, hazy locality. The sun rose about 2 o'clock in the morning and set about 11 in the evening. It was about as near the "land of the midnight sun" as the journal ever expected to get. "The Alaska company owns about everything, and gives employment to everybody. The company has great stores and scores of white employees at Umanaska. There are scattered trading stations at many of the points. Everybody—all the natives of the north—catch seals for, and get their supplies of, the company. You can scarcely imagine the importance of its business till you get up there. In the Alaskan waters, on the St. George and St. Paul islands, on which we took a great many seals. These are held by the twenty year's lease from congress. The remainder of our catch was made on the Copper and McClure islands, in Siberian waters, on which the Alaska company has a lease from Russia.

THE BARK "MONTANA" GOES ASHORE IN THE ARCTIC. The steamer St. Paul, which arrived from Oonakaska Saturday night, brought news of the loss of the bark Montana in the New Shagok river, July 1st. News of the disaster was brought to Oonakaska by the schooner Matthew Turner.

No particulars were received. All that was known was that the bark went ashore in the river and was a total loss and all on board were saved. The Montana sailed from this port on the 27th of April last, with a cargo of supplies for the salmon-canning station of the Arctic company at New Shagok, and it is the opinion of Capt. Erskin of the St. Paul that when she was unloaded, or partly unloaded, she was caught in a rapid current and thrown upon the bank. Capt. Erskin said that the weather in the far north had been rather rough, a heavy southwest wind blowing, making things very unpleasant. It is not improvable, therefore, that this bark may have had something to do with the loss of the vessel. A story was in circulation yesterday to the effect that Capt. Stoenberg, the commander of the Montana, had taken a small boat and with part of his crew had started down the coast to Oonakaska after the wreck, since which he had not been heard from. This report, however, lacks confirmation. The Montana was built in Maine in 1864, and was a staunch vessel. She was owned by Chas. A. Watson of this city, and had been engaged in the Alaskan trade.—S. F. Bulletin, 1.

The Disabled "Acacia." On August 25th, at 7:30 p. m., when about 230 miles from Nanaimo, the lower cylinder head of the Acacia was blown out, but no one was injured.

Capt. Carroll, as soon as possible, worked the vessel in to a safe little harbor named Safety Cove, where she was moored, stem and stern, and having a good supply of fresh provisions on board, Capt. Carroll took a boat and crew of eight men to go to Victoria for assistance. After being 123 hours in the boat, in consequence of the dense fog and smoke, he reached Victoria, where the steamer Alexander was immediately engaged to proceed to the vessel and tow her to Victoria for repairs. The Acacia is a beautiful sailing schooner, has 75 cabin and 25 steerage passengers on board, and was not for the dense fog prevailing she would easily be towed to Nanaimo by yesterday. Capt. Carroll states that he has a plentiful supply of fresh meats and provisions on board, and the little cove being secured against all storms, that there need be no fear for the safety of any one, the only thing being a little loss of time.

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A HAND-BOOK OF BURGLARY. Suggestions Found in the Possession of a Captured Crook.

Martin Hoff was arrested in Someville. The man fired three shots at the officer and two other policemen, but soon received a blow over the head which stunned him. A full outfit of burglar's tools was found on his person. Jammies, bits, dark lanterns, knives and various tools were found in large quantities. Two revolvers, a huge billy and a large dirk-knife were encircled around his belt. He lives in East Cambridge, is a good machinist, but is an idler. At his rooms were found numerous tools of every description. In a trunk Detective Kelly, who has charge of the case, found a small blank book. It is a curiosity, containing as it does full directions as to how to commit the burglar's profession. Written in lead pencil, in a rude manner, are numerous paragraphs, some of which follow:

"To keep from sneezing close your eyes and open your mouth—keep opening it until it is stopped." "In the trunk were two cans of dog poison. Another paragraph reads: "Put chloroform on meat for dog." Some others are: "Have the best red waxed sperm oil for lamp." "Use turpentine to drill iron if it is hard." "Use hard soap to put into cut when sawing off Yokes." "Put green patch over eye to change features." "Make snap to hitch on keys; saw it into pocket so you will not lose." "Black your face when doing job—carry soap and glass to wash off with—also carry towel." "Call your associate in crime, if you have one." "Try your chisels before using, so as to see that they are all right."

"The new style Yale and Sargent lock. Boring the lock, one set powder." "To make dies for C, heat your die in pipe, cherry red. Place your pipe and discover your money. Give one quick blow, then slide back and seal up ends of pipes with porcelain." "To take what tools you really need; and be sure that all will work well before you start."

A most interesting one is the following: "Study over every job you are going to undertake with great care. Get all the details down first, and it will work first rate. Do not get nervous and excited, thinking there is some one going to notice every movement you make, although you want to always be on your guard." "To take care on guard that you have confidence in, in case of an emergency. Don't put one who will rush if he sees a man."

The book contains a long list of tools used almost exclusively by thieves. Put a man together on a hundred kinds, under the caption, "B tools." In addition it contains numerous names, some of which may prove handy to the officers to know.—Boston Globe.

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PERSONAL. Capt. R. H. Lamson, clerk U. S. court, is in the city. Miss Mary Lawrence returned from Salem yesterday. Jno. Emborg returned yesterday from a trip to Sweden. A. H. Johnson, of Portland, has a five-year-old steer that weighs 3,000 pounds.

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