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Tonight: "The Great Metropolis." Reserved seats at the New York Novelty store.

Mrs. A. F. Kruger will begin teaching school at Clatsop on the first of next month.

Comparison of THE MORNING ASTORIAN with alleged "competitors" is constantly and cordially invited.

THE WEEKLY ASTORIAN, a large twelve-page paper, the cream of THE DAILY, appears this morning.

The boy has been very calm during the last few days, looking more like a quiet lake than the mouth of a great river.

The close salmon season on the Columbia begins to-day. Purely as a business proposition it should be strictly observed.

The officers of the Manzanilla will be pleased to know that the money appropriated for a new boiler for their boat.

A certain real estate dealer succeeded in making one dollar yesterday on quite an extensive transfer and thinks he will have it framed.

Fred Saitz, the popular saddler in business on his own account with a large new stock, at the old stand, and ready as ever to do work neat, quick and satisfactory.

G. W. Bueker has received a letter from Hon. T. A. Stevens, grand master workman of the jurisdiction, saying that he will surely be here this evening to deliver the address before the lodge.

In the case of the city against McIntyre tried in the police court, McIntyre was sentenced to a fine of \$100 or twenty days in jail.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS, FEB. 28. As Filed in the County Recorder's Office Yesterday.

A. H. Wilson and wife to Thos. G. Kaers, land in section 35, T. 8 N., R. 9 W., S. 750. W. S. Kinney and wife to F. S. Field, et al, lots 2, 7, 8, blk 140, Shively's, 4,000.

Richard Carver to C. B. Thomson, N. 1/2 of the SE 1/4, S 1/4 of the NE 1/4, of section 25, T. 11 N., R. 9 W., 1,000.

J. C. Adams and wife to J. L. Lewis, lots 6, 7, blk 2, tract 3, Chelsea, 120.

Caroline Van Dusen to Florence Wadleigh, blk 20, Olney's, 1. Previously reported this year 856,966. Total to date \$ 862,777.

AT THE THEATER. The Play of "The Great Metropolis." There was good acting at the theater last night.

The best acting was done by Wm. Morris, who as the outspoken Will Webster with his heart on his sleeve, brave and headstrong, but overpowered by the contending passions of love and revenge, elicited deserved applause.

The life of the piece was Harry Bell, the real estate rustler, who lit up the sad situations with the genius of his wit and whose song "This a little too good to be true," is worth hearing.

PERSONAL MENTION. C. R. Thomson has been re-appointed a notary public.

Dr. Kinney and his wife have gone to Chicago, starting last night. Miss Alice Stockton returned to Astoria yesterday on the Telephone.

W. Y. Thornburg of Skamokawa and Miss Lulu King of Portland were married last Wednesday.

When foreigners apply for their final papers they are always asked if they have read the constitution of the United States.

BISHOP WHITTAKER IN NEVADA. Breezy Reminiscences of the Distinguished Prelate of an Old Friend.

"There, look at that, will you?" cried Colonel Amos Tompkins, of Virginia City, in the office of the Examiner, telling how a man had taken a shot at Bishop Whittaker.

"You see, it says," he continued, "that the fellow is a temperance man and wanted to do up the bishop because he doesn't stand in with the high-and-dry."

"Do you know the bishop, colonel?" "Do I? What? Do I know the bishop? Why shouldn't I? He was at the head of the Episcopal end of the theological line over in our state for ever so many years, and everybody who has lived in Nevada knows him and respects him, too, sir."

"Bishop," says I, "I don't go to church myself, but Whittaker and I were the warmest kind of friends—'Bishop,' says I to him on G street one day, 'let me see your eyes.'"

"Well, sir, you never saw a man so amazed as the bishop was, and as for the lady, it's only justice to say that when she saw what she'd kicked she blushed and apologized as any true lady would under the circumstances."

"That was a joke, you know," explained the colonel, but Mike took it all in, and when the bishop and the lady came out where he stood Mike stood Mike tugging and grunting away at the windlass hoisting rock, and the hot summer sun blazing down on his shining crown.

"Good heavens, man," says he, "why don't you get a proper hat? You will be injured." "How'll I be injured?" growled Mike, straining at the windlass, the sweat pouring off him.

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My disease (eczema) first broke out on my left cheek, spreading across my nose and almost covering my face.

Cuticura Resolvent. The new blood and skin purifier and preserver of humor, removing, internally, and CUTICURA, the great Skin Cure, and CUTICURA SOAP, an exquisite Skin Beautifier.

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NOTICE!

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