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The Astorian guarantees to its advertisers the largest circulation of any newspaper published on the Columbia river.

Yesterday in the county recorder's office was filed the plat of Brighton Beach, by H. F. L. Logan, situated in section 31, T. 5 N. R. 10 W., containing 35 blocks.

Sheriff Smith makes showing that out of a tax roll nearly \$87,000, he collected all but \$2,192.21, and he expects to get some of that before he gets through with it.

By special arrangement with the Astoria Abstract Title and Trust company, THE MORNING ASTORIAN will in future have the real estate transfers of the day previous reported by that institution.

The trial of the opium-smoking Chinamen in justice Cleveland's court yesterday resulted in the dismissal of some and the forfeiture of the bail of others.

Shipments of salmon from San Francisco by sea during June amounted to 7,941 cases and 280 packages, with a total value of \$38,750, and the shipments for six months have been 127,187 cases and 4,633 packages, valued at \$697,700.

The Kent Advertiser relates this incident: "Dr. S. F. Smith left his ranch in Kittitas county last Sunday to call on a neighbor. Close upon his arrival two bears arrived on his track and waddled up to the front door, but before they could pull the bobbin the host shot the larger of the two and before he could reload the other one ran away. The doctor walked out to the porch armed with a butcher knife which he plunged into the gurgling throat of dying ursus and amputated his death rattle in a most dexterous manner. Then the two men flayed their victim and dissected him with skill, pleasure and dispatch. We thank Dr. Smith for a choice brain roast, and hope that he may stick another bear party quick."

PERSONAL MENTION. E. C. Hughes leaves for Port Townsend on a business trip this morning. Sam H. Willett and bride returned from Portland yesterday, where they had been on their bridal tour.

As county surveyor-elect, Thielsen yesterday declined to qualify, surveyor Raymond holds over and will continue to administer the duties of the office. Fred Brown, captain of the drum corps, was yesterday presented by the corps with a gold pen and holder, in honor of his seventeenth birthday.

A. S. Metz of San Francisco, in attendance upon the session of a number of gentlemen prominent in business or official circles in their respective localities, some of whom are as follows: Hon. T. A. Stephens, of Portland, grand master, district attorney of Multnomah county.

Hon. W. A. Inman, of Colfax, committee on appeals, county judge of Whitman county. Hon. J. H. Turner, of Pendleton, county judge of Umatilla county.

Hon. W. R. Dumbler, of Goldendale, county judge of Klickitat county, Washington. E. J. Hawthorn, Eugene, one of the faculty of the State University.

J. A. Holliday, principal of the city schools, Victoria, British Columbia. W. J. Googhan, of Vancouver, member of the state legislature of Washington.

T. J. Stites, editor of the Albany Democrat. O. A. Palmer, of Bridal Veil, one of the principal lumbermen of Oregon.

There are three past grand masters present, as follows: J. A. Childs, Portland; W. D. Hare, Hillsboro; T. C. Van Epps, Olympia, Washington.

THE CITY FATHERS. What Four of Them Did During One Hour and a Half. CONSIDERABLE STREET WORK.

At 8 o'clock last evening Councilman Elton appeared in the council room; Councilmen Parker, Welch and Fox had been present, and the fourth making a quorum, business at once began.

The petition of Nels Jaeger for a liquor license was granted. Third street property owners petitioned to have the sidewalk in front of the Astoria Exchange Co.'s property made to conform with their ideas.

Councilman Welch made that he be laid on the table. Mayor Crosby asked to have the motion withdrawn, and have the petition referred to the street committee.

A communication was read from W. H. Smith, about the Benton street sewer; referred to city attorney to draft an ordinance.

A communication from B. S. Worsley, foreman, Reservoir No. 2, nominated E. B. Stoner as engineer of that fire company. The nomination was rejected, by a vote of three for, to one against. After the vote each councilman made some remarks.

Councilman Welch said that at the last fire the engineer of No. One's was so drunk that they had to get some body else to run the engine; that this is the fourth time that No. One's engineer was drunk at the time of a fire, and he was of the opinion that that engineer ought to be dismissed.

The street committee reported that they had given Allen & Co. the contract, at 25 cents a name, to put the names of streets on the street corners; report adopted.

The street committee reported, heartily endorsing the recommendation of the city surveyor, and recommending that his recommendation be adopted; report adopted.

Auditor and police judge Jewett made the following report: I hereby report the financial situation of the city at the present time.

Bonds outstanding \$27,000.00 Warrants outstanding 21,749.28 Cash on hand 6,654.08

Not indebtedness 42,086.50 There is also interest due on bonds and warrants to the amount of probably \$1,200, making an indebtedness of \$43,286.50.

Auditor and Police Judge. City attorney Curtis reported regarding the city printing, to the effect that whenever the city council awarded the bid for city printing he would draw up the contract.

Councilman Welch moved that the city attorney be instructed to draw up the proper papers at the proper time, awarding the contract to the lowest bidder; carried.

Regarding the matter of city health officer, city attorney Curtis made report defining the difference between the city physician and city health officer. The report was received and filed, and the auditor and police judge instructed to furnish the chief of police with a copy of it.

An ordinance appropriating \$509.25 for H. B. Thielsen was passed. An ordinance appropriating \$968 for the electric light company, was passed.

The following claims were ordered paid: McLean & Freeman, \$6.19; Clatsop Mill company, \$93.83; M. C. Crosby, \$24.40; Astoria Gaslight Co., \$15.65; Simon, Telephone Co., \$3; West Shore Mills, \$61.10.

TRAINS TO THE SEASIDE. A Regular Time Table Will Soon Be Arranged. Superintendent Thielsen is busy arranging a time table for the convenience of the traveling public on the Astoria and South Coast railway.

The idea is to have the trains so arranged as to allow passengers to leave at 8:30 a. m., reaching Seaside at 10 a. m., returning, leave Seaside at 3:40 p. m., arriving here at 5 p. m.

In addition to this connection will be made by, and with the U. P. boats and the Tillamook. The trains will go over on Thursday, Saturday and Sunday of each week.

Superintendent Thielsen has also made an arrangement which will be appreciated by the traveling public. He will have luggage checked through from Astoria and Portland to the different stations along the line of the road, and back to Astoria and Portland over the U. P. boats.

From Astoria to Young's bay is two miles; to Adams, 3.4; to Warrenton, 5 miles; to Skippanon, 5.7; to Morrison, 7.8; to Wingate, 9.3 miles; to Clatsop City, 12.8; to Gearhart Park, 14.8; to Ohanna creek, 16.2; to Clatsop beach, 18 miles.

ASTORIA R. & L. ASSOCIATION. A Good Showing in Its Annual Statement. The officers of the Astoria Building and Loan Association have finished their third annual report for the year ending April 30th, 1920.

During the year there was received \$33,020.69; during the year there were the following disbursements: mortgage loans, \$29,511.75; stock loans, \$720; expenses, \$495.10; taxes, \$847.23; withdrawals, \$312.34; balance in treasurer's hands, \$1,133.64; total, \$33,020.69.

The assets represent an aggregate of \$116,729.23; unearned interest, paid in advance, is \$33,833.55, and the net gain of the association for the three years of its existence, is \$15,782.74.

This shows a clear profit of over \$5,000 a year. The association holds mortgages to the amount of \$114,500.

During the year there were 23 loans; during the three years, 58; the highest number of month's interest paid in advance was 73; the lowest, 20; average, 54.

There are 377 stockholders. The financial report is a favorable showing of the practical good of such an institution and a worthy exhibit of the capacity and efficiency of those who have charge of it.

THE PACIFIC CAN COMPANY. Proposes to Erect a Branch Establishment Here. F. P. Kendall, superintendent of the Pacific Can company, of San Francisco, is contemplating the erection of a branch canning establishment here.

An effort in that direction was made some seven years ago, but never resulted in anything tangible. One thing that worked against the scheme was the fact that Columbia river salmon canners have heretofore found it satisfactory to engage their Chinamen for the season some time in advance of the 1st of April and hold them together by putting them at canning till the fish began to run.

Mr. Kendall thinks that with anything like a guarantee of patronage his company will put in a plant here with a daily capacity of 100,000 cans. The outfit would cost about \$20,000, and would give employment to a considerable number of men.

As high as 30,000,000 cans have been used in one year on this river by the salmon canners. The Pacific Can company figures that they can furnish the quantities to suit for \$16 a thousand.

A FREIGHT TARIFF. Adopted by the Astoria and South Coast Railroad. Like all well regulated railroads, the Astoria and South Coast Railroad company has adopted a local tariff. It takes effect today. There are six classifications. There are ten stations. The names of the stations are Young's Bay, Sunnyside, Warrenton, Skippanon, Morrison, Glenwood, Clatsop City, Gearhart Park, Ohanna Creek and Clatsop Beach. The rate is set at many cents per hundred pounds, running from four to twenty-five, according to distance and classification. The long haul and short haul clause is carefully observed regarding the rates. The minimum carload weight is 25,000 pounds.

1,500 MILES. Bat She Got It.—A Sample of Letters Daily Received. Only those who have tried it can know what it is that prompts one to send 1,500 miles for it to get it again. Here is another of many such instances:—

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS. Transactions of Yesterday's Meeting. County commissioners Nurberg and Carruthers with county clerk Trenchard and sheriff Smith were in session yesterday.

The petition of D. K. Warren et al., was read second time; no objections filed, ordered recorded, and declared a county road, and bill of expenses allowed.

Petition of Simon Westwood and others to lay out a county road was laid over to July 18th.

Petition of J. G. Ryckman et al., was read; proof of posting notice, etc., made; viewers appointed: J. Cusick, P. Kenney, J. E. Coffey and N. D. Raymond to meet August 19th at Bear Creek.

Petition of L. N. Mitchell et al., for county road near Knappa, was read and laid over till July 18th.

Ordered that the clerk draw the amounts due commissioners at end of each session without further order.

L. N. Mitchell's road petition was read. M. A. Riddle, D. W. Burnside and A. B. Hill appointed referees, to meet at Knappa.

Ordered that county clerk give notice that bids will be received for county printing till Friday, July 18, 1920, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Sheriff Smith presented delinquent tax roll with treasurer's receipt for \$59,523.53; and showing still uncollected the sum of \$2,191.21; clerk instructed to issue an alias warrant for collection of balance.

J. C. Dement, county treasurer having made his report, and filed receipt of Martin Ford, for the balance as shown by report, and having been examined and approved, bonds declared exonerated.

Report of county superintendent Shively examined and approved.

Report of county clerk Trenchard, after examination approved, and instructed to prepare same for publication. Clerk instructed to continue to draw warrants in favor of Co. H. O. N. G., and Mrs. A. T. Brakke, as heretofore, until further order of the court.

The following bills were ordered paid: J. B. Wyatt, \$23.14; A. P. Young, \$10; Liberty hall, \$20; T. S. Jewett, \$3; C. A. May, \$3; F. H. Surprenant & Co., \$60; J. F. Halloran, \$25; H. T. Henson, \$11; Griffin & Reed, \$24.65; \$13.55; St. Mary's hospital, \$3.57; \$176.40; \$44.25; \$6.43; A. V. Allen, \$27.10; \$17.85; \$23.80; Columbia Water Co., \$24; Jno. Yallin, \$37.50; Foard & Stokes, \$10; C. E. Brown, \$12; C. W. Shively, \$12; Miss Lawrence \$12; N. D. Raymond, \$5. Court adjourned to 10 a. m., Friday, July 18, 1920.

THE CIRCUIT COURT. Thirteenth Day of June Term, Monday, July 8th. Mary Hill vs. Jno. Hill; decree for plaintiff.

Andrew Erierson admitted to citizenship. Jno. Thomas vs. B. S. Worsley et al. default; decree of foreclosure for plaintiff.

C. E. Thomson vs. Theo. Broemer; motion to strike out part of amended complaint argued and submitted. Adjudged to Thursday, July 10th, at 10 a. m.

Making a Big Circuit. When inspectors Edwards and McDermott get through with this squaring of the circle they will be competent to write about the resources of the state. To-day they inspect the steamer EDITH, of Portland and G. A. They then go to Shoalwater bay to inspect the steamer Mountain Buck. They then go clear to the extreme eastern boundary of the state to the Snake river; from there to Hagar; and then they will keep an eye on Passo, for a day, and will bring their flight from there to Rock Island to inspect what is called a steamboat in those duty towns. They will then go to the alkali regions of Arlington, and then go to The Dalles, and then to Portland, and from there to Coos bay. By that time a fresh route will be mapped out for them. They will be able after eight or ten years more to have a pretty fair idea of how this section of the Union looks.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. Deeds filed or recorded on July 8, 1920, as reported for THE MORNING ASTORIAN by the Astoria Abstract Title and Trust company:

E. A. Noyes and wife to C. L. Beach, lots 7 and 8, blk 9, in North addition to Astoria, \$90.

E. A. Noyes and wife Ada B. to C. L. Beach, lots 5 and 6, blk 9, North addition to Astoria, \$90.

Chas. W. Roby and wife to Sidney Dell, lots 1, 11 and 12, blk 139, Shively's Astoria, \$82.

E. A. Noyes and wife to Kato J. Noyes, lots 1 and 2, blk 15, North addition to Astoria, \$90.

E. P. Thompson to Frank H. Mudd, lot 4, blk 6, Warrenton add. to Astoria, \$130.

Preslon C. Smith and wife to Sidney Dell, east 75 feet of lots 121 and 123, and water frontage in Shively's Astoria, \$1.

United States to Fred Keen, the SE 1/4 of sec. 17, T. 7 N., R. 7 W., \$500.

E. L. Blodgett and S. B. Howard to J. A. Fulton, 42.08 acres in sec. 10, T. 7 N., R. 9 W., \$15.

C. H. Hall and wife to J. J. Freeman, lots 1, 2, 3, 10, 11 and 12, blk 2, Columbia add. \$300.

Annie Reiff and husband, Wm., to C. S. Fisher, lots 3, 4, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, blk 57, Rosedale add. \$100.

FIVE HUNDRED PAIRS Nottingham Lace Curtains NEW DESIGNS. FROM Sixty Cents per Pair, to Five Dollars Just Received at The Leading Dry Goods and Clothing House of the City C. H. COOPER'S, 517 and 521 Third St., Astoria. A Death Blow to Boots and Shoes IN ASTORIA. The popular Boot and Shoe Store, No. 327 Third St., opposite "Pioneer" office. Has opened an extra stock of Fine Shoes for Ladies, Misses, Children and Men's wear, consisting of the principal Eastern Manufacturers: Heywood & Co. (Worcester, Mass.); Faneux & Spinnay (Lynn, Mass.); John Stroetman, Buffalo, N. Y.; Marcie & Cie, New York C. y.; Burley & Ushers, Newport, Mass., and an Extra Line of California Goods. R. B. Power & Co., Astoria, Oregon.

Semi-Annual Clearance SALE A Deep Cut! IN All Departments. Sacrifice IN Clothing Fine Ties, 3 for \$1 See My Windows: Call In and Save Money. Herman Wise The Live Clothier and Hatter, In the Occident Hotel Bld'g. Abercrombie Hotel. Finest and Most Convenient Summer Resort IN SEASIDE. Every Room Newly Furnished. Private Rooms for Families, AND TOURISTS. Transient Custom Solicited. TERMS, REASONABLE. The only Abercrombie Hotel at Seaside, Oregon.

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Weinhard's Lager Beer! Is the Choice of the Connoisseur. Superior Facilities for Shipping in Car Load Lots. Orders for any quantity to be directed to H. WEINHARD, Portland, Oregon. Corner Twelfth and E. Telephone 12. P. O. Box 108.

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The Oregon Land Co. Where Property Is Left For Sale. Corner Third and Olney Sts., ASTORIA, OREGON. For Desirable Acreage Or INSIDE PROPERTY. Call on or Address Leinenweber & Goodenough, SECOND ST., Near Postoffice. P. O. Box 63.

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