

ABOUT THE CITY.

Secretary Jensen of the C. R. F. P. U. denies that the members of that body contemplate having a parade tomorrow.

The members of the police force are having an easy time. No arrests for drunkenness or other causes interrupt the monotony of their duties.

Colonel Mendell went down to Fort Stevens yesterday on the tug Mendell, for the purpose of looking over the government work there.

At a regular meeting of the Beaver Lodge, No. 35, I. O. O. F., James W. Welch, J. Q. A. Howly, C. C. Gramms and C. S. Gunderson were elected representatives to the Grand Lodge of Oregon, which meets at Eugene on the 17th of May.

H. P. Gregory & Company, of Portland, present their customers with a "Handy and Reliable Dictionary of the English Language," which is a very convenient pocket volume for reference, of real value, as are the goods which this firm supplies.

"Wait a while" is all that can be heard from those "on the inside" in railroad matters, when one of them is asked for information.

Captain Scott Johnson yesterday sent a force of five men down to Mr. Pendleton at Fort Canby to unload the gun carriages from the barge at the government dock.

The Manzanita will go to Yaquina today or tomorrow, weather permitting.

The Demorest medal contest this evening at the Uppertown school promises to be well attended.

Remember the Austin House at the Seaside is open the year around.

On account of the storm yesterday Dr. Walker was compelled to secure a naphtha launch in order to visit the small-pox patient.

Sheriff Smith has decided to postpone the preparation of the delinquent county tax list until tomorrow night.

Call at the Albatross Fish Market for fresh salmon daily.

In the notice of the literary and musical entertainment to be given by Seaside Lodge No. 12, A. O. U. W., published recently in these columns, the date was given as May 8th.

Wing Lee has just received a full line of Japanese curiosities and fancy goods. Will sell at cost. 529 Third street.

The body of A. Farland, who met with such a sudden death on Wednesday night at Fort Canby, was brought over to this city yesterday on the steamer La Camas.

Do not be deceived with cheap pictures, but get your work done at Crow's gallery and you will not regret it.

Before the British bark British Army left here, or just about the time of her departure, two of the hands, both colored, became involved in a row, during the progress of which one endeavored to use a knife in stabbing his opponent.

Fairbank's Standard Scales carried in stock and delivered on short notice by Fisher Brothers.

A basket social will be given by the Scandinavian M. E. Mission at Kniesmeyer's Hall, Saturday evening, April 23d.

FORCED MORTGAGEE SALE. The entire stock of Herman Wise will be closed out at a forced mortgagee sale, commencing Saturday April 15th.

JEFF'S, The Only Restaurant.

An Ordinance for Street Improvement.

Lack of space Wednesday would not permit of the publication in full of the ordinance relating to street assessments, etc., introduced by Mr. C. R. Thomson at Tuesday night's meeting of the city council.

ORDINANCE NO. ---

An ordinance in relation to street assessments and defining the duties and fixing the compensation of the members of the board of assessors.

Section 1. The Common Council of the City of Astoria at their first regular meeting in January of each year, or as soon thereafter as practicable, shall nominate and appoint two assessors to be called street improvement assessors, who together with the city surveyor shall constitute the board of assessors.

Section 2. The compensation of each of said assessors shall be three dollars per day for each day actually employed in discharging the duties of the said office.

Section 3. Before entering upon the discharge of the duties of their office each of said assessors appointed by the common council must qualify by taking and subscribing and filing with the auditor and police judge an oath to faithfully and honestly discharge the duties of the said office to the best of his knowledge and ability.

Section 4. Whenever the Common Council shall direct the board of assessors to make a special assessment for the improvement of a street, pro rata upon the lots and premises in any specified district according to the benefits as provided in section 7 of the city charter, the board of assessors shall proceed as follows:

Section 5. Before making up the roll, the board must make a personal examination of the district and of the property to be assessed.

Section 6. If the name of any member of said board shall appear on the list of names furnished in said certificate as the owner of any property in the district, it shall be the duty of the board to at once notify in writing the auditor and police judge of the fact and the common council shall, at its

next meeting, or as soon thereafter as practicable, appoint some suitable person to act in his stead in making said assessments.

Section 7. When any assessment is being prepared it shall be designated by the board as "The Special Improvement Assessment Roll for the Improvement of --- Street, from --- to ---" inserting the blank spaces the name of street and the points between which it is to be improved.

Section 8. At the next meeting of the common council, or as soon thereafter as practicable, the council shall by resolution, direct the auditor and police judge to give notice by publication, for at least ten days in the official newspaper of the city, to the effect that the said assessment roll is on file with the police judge, and subject to inspection by all persons interested.

Section 9. All objections to said assessment must be in writing, and filed with the auditor and police judge on or before the time appointed for the meeting of said committee and said board of assessors, who shall together constitute the board of equalization.

Cudahy's Rex Beef Extract served at Ford & Stokes' for a few days.

One of Damant Bros' best horses, known by the name of "Spot," had a narrow escape from breaking his leg yesterday afternoon while going along Second street opposite the office of Mr. C. P. Upshur.

Tuesday, April 18, Mrs. P. M. Thell will open dress making parlors at 453 Main street.

The will of the late Mrs. Mary Ann Adair has been filed for probate.

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