

INDOOR ATHLETICS.

The Football Club Entertains a Large Number of Its Friends.

The first indoor athletic and gymnastic entertainment by the Astoria Football club was given last evening, and about 400 ladies and gentlemen unanimously pronounced it a grand success.

Long before 8 o'clock all the seats around the hall were occupied, while at the lower end, near the door, a great number stood up. The program opened with a dumb-bell drill by a class. It was very creditable and warmly applauded.

Then came the event of the evening, the obstacle race, which kept the audience in roars of laughter for several minutes. Swinging gates about seven feet high, over which the runners had to climb; swinging barrels, through which they crawled; two huge sails, between which they had to find their way as best they could, and a couple of big salmon nets and other obstacles created no end of amusement as the contestants made their way twice around the hall. The event was won by J. Ruffner, with C. Stone a good second.

The twenty-five-yard dash was very exciting and interesting, and all the heats were well contested.

The first was won cleverly by D. McLean, the second by P. P. Sovey, Dick Carruthers captured the third, and Ed. Hansen the fourth. In this heat Neil Crosby twice ran a dead heat with Hansen, and was only defeated after hurting his ankle. In the final McLean ran off with the honors.

The running high jump proved interesting, and was easily won by Prof. Wright, who cleared the bar at five feet two inches.

Next came an exhibition of vaulting over the horse, by a class of eight, in which some very graceful work was done.

In the mile race W. E. Tallant proved an easy winner, with Sovey (25 yards) a good second.

E. W. Smith and B. F. Allen, two light-weights, gave an exhibition of the manly art, and kept the audience highly amused throughout.

The horizontal bar performance was warmly applauded. Prof. Spencer and his class doing some very clever work. Hon. C. W. Fulton then made a short address, in the course of which he gave a brief history of the club since its inception, telling how it was organized with a membership of fifteen, which increased the second year to nearly fifty.

The speaker also referred to the disposal of the money made by the club, some of which went to the Public Library, some to charitable purposes and the balance back to the merchants in the city. Mr. Fulton also showed the benefits of the gymnasium, and referred to the customs of the ancients in making both sexes participants in various exercises calculated to strengthen the body and so prepare it for a sounder mental development. The speaker's remarks were in his usual felicitous vein, and he was warmly applauded at the conclusion.

W. E. Tallant and Prof. Spencer gave a very clever and lively set-to with the gloves, and delighted everyone present, few of the ladies having never before seen an exhibition of the sort.

The walking match was won by Frank Gunn after an exciting contest, and the tug-of-war was captured by the team captained by Prof. Spencer, after a hard pull extending for a period of seven minutes.

The Indian club swinging also proved an enjoyable feature, and was followed by the relay race between two teams of six men each. This event was close throughout, and the teams could not have been more evenly matched.

The entertainment concluded with a short game of basket ball, which was declared a draw on account of the lateness of the hour, and an accident to one of the baskets.

Altogether the affair proceeded without a hitch, and at no stage did the program drag in the slightest. Prof. Spencer having all his classes in readiness for the different events as each was announced.

"Uncle Josh" was repeated to a good audience again last night, and receives its last evening production tonight, but will be put on again for the matinee Saturday. Tomorrow, Thursday, the world-famous play, "Lucrezia Borgia," will be produced on an elaborate scale, and with dresses of the fifteenth century.

WHIP AND SPUR.

San Francisco, March 12.—Following is a summary of to-day's races: Half mile, for two-year-olds—Sunrise, 650.

About six furlongs, for maidens—Yan-gidens, 1:14 3/4. Five furlongs—Sir Reginald, 1:02 3/4. Seven furlongs—Joe Murphy, 1:28. Six furlongs—Fly, 1:14 1/2.

THE WAR SPREADING.

Chicago, March 13.—The Chicago, Minneapolis, St. Paul and Omaha railroad today gave notice it would use reduced rates from Missouri river gateways to California in basing rates. This will make the round-trip rate from St. Paul and Minneapolis to San Francisco and Los Angeles \$48.15.

LOW PRICE OF WHEAT.

New York, March 12.—May wheat today touched \$2 1/4, the lowest price ever known in this market at this time of the year. The cause is the heavy stocks.

CONFIRMED THE NEWS.

Lisbon, March 12.—The authorities have received a cable from the commander of the corvette Mindello confirming the situation as already reported as Rio de Janeiro; and asking instructions as to whether he shall con-

tinues to give Admiral Da Gama refuge on his vessel or return him to his flag-ship.

COMING TO AN AGREEMENT.

Washington, March 12.—Democrats and republicans of the senate committee on finance are likely to agree on a date for reporting the tariff bill to the senate. They are only a week apart now. The democrats want March 26, the republicans a week longer.

CHIEF OF POLICE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a warrant issued by the Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria, to me directed, dated the 20th day of January, 1894, and against

G. W. LOUNSBERRY, Commanding me to levy upon lot No. 1 in block numbered 53, assessed to G. W. Lounsberry, in that portion of said City of Astoria which was laid out and recorded by John M. Shively, in Clatsop county, Oregon, upon which an assessment of \$1,024.00 is unpaid, assessed for the improvement of that portion of West Eighth street, in said city, between the south side of Water street and the southern limits of the city, approved March 11th, 1891, which assessment is declared and assessed upon said lot by Ordinance No. 1433 of said city, entitled An Ordinance declaring the probable costs of improving West Eighth street, Approved August 5th, 1891.

I have this day levied upon said above described property, and on Tuesday, March the 20th, 1894, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, in front of the Court House door, in said City of Astoria, County of Clatsop and State of Oregon, will sell said property to the highest bidder therefor, to pay said assessment, together with costs and expenses of sale.

Dated Astoria, Oregon, February 19th, 1894.

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NANCY WELCH, Commanding me to levy upon the north 12 1/2x50 feet, of lot 12, in block numbered 58, assessed to Nancy Welch, in that portion of said City of Astoria which was laid out and recorded by John M. Shively, in Clatsop county, Oregon, upon which an assessment of \$25.58 is unpaid, assessed for the improvement of that portion of West Eighth street, in said city, between the south side of Water street and the southern limits of the city, approved March 11th, 1891, which assessment is declared and assessed upon said lot by Ordinance No. 1433 of said city, entitled An Ordinance declaring the probable costs of improving West Eighth street, Approved August 5th, 1891.

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Z. ANTONSON, Commanding me to levy upon the south 130x50 feet of lot No. 12, in block numbered 58, assessed to Z. Antonson, in that portion of said City of Astoria which was laid out and recorded by John M. Shively, in Clatsop county, Oregon, upon which an assessment of \$546.86 is unpaid, assessed for the improvement of that portion of West Eighth street, in said city, between the south side of Water street and the southern limits of the city, approved March 11th, 1891, which assessment is declared and assessed upon said lot by Ordinance No. 1433 of said city, entitled An Ordinance declaring the probable costs of improving West Eighth street, Approved August 5th, 1891.

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MARY MORGAN, Commanding me to levy upon lot No. 7, in block numbered 59, assessed to Mary Morgan, in that portion of said City of Astoria which was laid out and recorded by John M. Shively, in Clatsop county, Oregon, upon which an assessment of \$994.40 is unpaid, assessed for the improvement of that portion of West Eighth street, in said city, between the south side of Water street and the southern limits of the city, approved March 11th, 1891, which assessment is declared and assessed upon said lot by Ordinance No. 1433 of said city, entitled An Ordinance declaring the probable costs of improving West Eighth street, Approved August 5th, 1891.

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FOURTH STREET GRADE NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Common Council of the City of Astoria propose to establish the grade of Fourth street, in the City of Astoria, Oregon, as laid out and recorded by John Adair, at the following heights above the base of grades as established by ordinance No. 71, entitled "An ordinance establishing a base of grades for the streets of the City of Astoria, as follows, to-wit:

At intersection with Auger avenue, 22.0 feet. At intersection with Abernethy, 20.0 feet. At intersection with Bonneville, 38.6 feet. And that the grade of the intervening streets be a straight line between the crossings mentioned.

And unless a remonstrance signed by the owners of three-fourths of the property fronting on said portion of said street be filed with the Auditor and Police Judge within ten days from the final publication of this notice, to-wit: On Monday, March 21st, 1894, the Common Council will establish said grade.

By order of the Common Council, K. OSBURN, Auditor and Police Judge. Astoria, Ore., February 16, 1894.

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BIDS FOR BONDS.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to a resolution of the Common Council of the City of Astoria, adopted March 6th, 1894, bids will be received by the Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria for \$25,000 of municipal bonds of the City of Astoria, to run ten years and bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum. Said bonds being issued for the purpose of refunding certain indebtedness of the City of Astoria for street improvements. Ordinances authorizing the issuance of said bonds to be submitted to attorneys of any person or corporation for their approval.

By order of the Common Council, K. OSBURN, Auditor and Police Judge. Astoria, Oregon, March 8th, 1894.

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Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a warrant issued by the Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria, to me directed, dated the 20th day of January, 1894, and against

MARY MORGAN, Commanding me to levy upon lot No. 6, in block numbered 59, assessed to Mary Morgan, in that portion of said City of Astoria which was laid out and recorded by John M. Shively, in Clatsop county, Oregon, upon which an assessment of \$781.00 is unpaid, assessed for the improvement of that portion of West Eighth street, in said city, between the south side of Water street and the southern limits of the city, approved March 11th, 1891, which assessment is declared and assessed upon said lot by Ordinance No. 1433 of said city, entitled An Ordinance declaring the probable costs of improving West Eighth street, Approved August 5th, 1891.

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