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Woolens and flannels will not shrink or harden when Naptha Soap is used. It's the cheapest laundry soap in use. Three bars, 25 cents. Rogers, druggist.

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At the Swedish Lutheran church there will not be any services Sunday, since the pastor is not yet strong enough to preach. Sunday school at the usual hour.

The services at the Norwegian Evangelical Lutheran church are: English Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; Norwegian services at 10:45 a. m. The text will be Isaiah vii, 10-15. English services in the evening at 7:30.

Services as usual at the Presbyterian church tomorrow. Subject of the morning sermon: "Jesus Teaching About the Holy Spirit." In the evening the theme will be "A Marked Man." A very cordial invitation is extended to all.

Mayor Bergman yesterday signed the ordinance providing for the transfer of \$5750 from the general fund to the bond interest fund. The money will be used to pay the first six months' interest on the city's bonded indebtedness.

W. W. Whipple is in receipt of letters from friends in Dyea and Skagway, which state that a great rush has taken place to Haines' Mission, the center of the new mining territory. Mr. Whipple has also received pictures of the recent fire at Dyea, which destroyed several buildings.

General Missionary Osbrink will commence a series of meetings with the Swedish Baptists of this city at 11 o'clock

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The Irish flag was raised on the flag-staff of the new Page building yesterday. It floated, alone, to the breeze for some time before those in charge of the building were reminded that it was not entirely proper for a foreign flag to be raised on either a public or private building without having the stars and stripes at the masthead. The improperity, doubtless, was inspired by some patriotic soul of Erin, whose deep sense of the observance of the day promoted the thoughtless act rather than any intention of insulting the national flag. The matter was soon regulated, however, and the stars and stripes floated above the Irish flag the remainder of the day.

The fishing law recently enacted at the special session of the legislature overlooking two important streams—the Necanicum and Ohanna, both on the west side. The failure of the law to regulate fishing in those streams makes it possible for fishermen to take salmon at any season of the year. At present there are many fish in those rivers and fishermen are making good catches. The fish are shipped to Astoria and Portland markets. Fish Commissioner McGuire has requested that all boxes of salmon shipped from the Necanicum and Ohanna be labelled as coming from there; otherwise they will be seized, pending an investigation.

Manna Korpiola, of New Astoria, will appear before Judge Hughes at 10 this morning to be examined on a charge of criminal assault upon a man named Erickson, also a resident of the West Side. Erickson was quite seriously cut in the altercation and his escape from death was a narrow one. Since the fight, which occurred about three weeks ago, Erickson has been in bed, but has recovered sufficiently to be able to appear in court today. From the evidence which developed at a hearing before Judge Hughes a few days ago, it is thought Korpiola will be held to answer the serious charge of assault with intent to kill.

Another good sized house erected by the Metropolitan Opera Company last night at Fisher's opera house, Plaque's comic opera, "The Chimes of Normandy" being the bill. The chorus and solo work last night was splendid—much better than in the first night's performance. Mr. Eddie Smith as Guepard, the miser played a difficult role with finish and power, and won hearty applause for his clever work. Maurice Hazeman as the Bailly, played the principal comedy role and kept the audience in a good humor. Will Rising as the Marquis of Cornville had a congenial role and played it well. Miss Blanche Aldrich as Serpolette, and Miss Alice James, as Germaine, the lost merchandise, won favor with the audience. Miss James though suffering from a cold proved that she was the possessor of a good soprano voice by her rendering of "The Legend of the Gnomes." The company closed its engagement here with last night's performance.

Fish Commissioner McGuire arrived in the city yesterday and will be at the local office today, where licenses will be issued to applicants. Mr. McGuire has thus far collected about \$1000, nearly all of which amount has been paid by fish dealers. Only about \$50 has been collected from Astoria fishermen, and Mr. McGuire is at a loss to know the reason for this. It has been particularly desired by him that local fishermen secure their licenses as soon as possible, as should they wait until the opening of the season, there will be an undesirable rush, owing to the great number of gillnetters in the vicinity. Just why the fishermen have not made application for licenses is not known. There is some talk of test, the validity of the fishing laws in the courts, but on what ground is not stated. The law doubtless is regular and

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The four-masted schooner Prosper arrived in Thursday evening, 34 days from Honolulu, in ballast. The Prosper is one of the crack schooners on the coast and made the voyage to the mouth of the river in 22 days, although the weather was unfavorable for a great portion of the trip. She is chartered by the Export Lumber Company, of Portland, to load lumber for Taku, China.

Articles of Incorporation of the Westport Hall Association were filed in the county clerk's office yesterday. The incorporators are David West, J. N. McPherson, A. R. Potts, A. J. Fanner and John West, Jr. The capital stock is \$500, divided at \$1 a share, and the capital may be increased at any time by two-thirds vote of the shareholders. The objects of the company are to engage in the buying and selling of property, erecting buildings, etc. The principal office is at Westport, Ore.

The steamer Harrison, which had her shaft injured and her rudder carried away a few days ago on entering Tillamook harbor, will not be towed to Astoria for repairs by the Elmore, owing to the uncertainty of the weather. The rudder will be replaced at Tillamook and the shaft will be brought to this city for repairs after which it will be taken back by the Elmore and put in place. There is extreme danger and difficulty in making the run at this season of the year and efforts of the boat say the Harrison had a very narrow escape from destruction.

Rev. W. B. Hollingshead preached the sermon at the revival meeting held in the M. E. church last evening. Rev. L. J. Trumbull assisting. Mr. Hollingshead's address was a very earnest plea

It will be to the interest of fishermen to secure their licenses as soon as possible. Mr. McGuire will endeavor to be in Astoria on Friday and Saturday of each week, when he can be found at his office on Eleventh street.

A special meeting of the council will be called before April 1 to pass an ordinance granting further time to Contractor Goodin to improve Astor street from Sixth to Ninth. The contract provided that the street should be planked with yellow fir, and that the work should be completed by April 1. Mr. Goodin was unable to obtain any yellow fir in the city at that time and he consulted the street committee as to what course he should pursue. Being desirous of patronizing home industry, the committee agreed to secure further time for the completion of the work, and thus permit Mr. Goodin to secure the lumber in Astoria. At the council meeting Thursday night the committee introduced an ordinance covering the matter. It was the desire to pass the ordinance immediately, as the original contract expires before another regular meeting, and unanimous consent for suspension of the rules was asked. Councilman Parker, who represents the ward in which the improvement is being made, objected, on the ground that he did not want the street to be torn up for "another three or four months." Mayor Bergman stated to Mr. Parker that, unless he reconsidered his vote, a special meeting would be called, but Parker refused to waive his right to block the passage of the measure. He was the only councilman to vote in the negative. The ordinance will be passed at the special meeting. The lumber for the improvement is now being sawed.

A. F. C. MEN SWALLOW THEIR BITTER PILL OF DEFEAT.

Irving Club Bowlers Made Monkeys of Them Last Night, Winning Three Out of Four Games.

The Irving Club team wiped up another sweep, with the aggregation chosen to uphold the A. F. C. fabric last night. The visitors were outplayed at every turn, and after the first game, which they managed by a fluke to win, they were at the not too tender mercies of the Irving, who stamped the blue and white into the mire of defeat.

The visitors were sanguine of success. They never doubted their ability to win, but the Irving took all the consolation of them. They piled strikes upon strikes, while the visitors, despairing of success, sloughed their few parallel lines and threw balls down the gutter. Really, it was awful—for the visitors.

The first game was exciting—not because the scoring was good, but because the game was close. Wise made a garbion finish and pulled the team out by the narrow margin of three pins. G. C. Fulton should have won this game, and probably would have been known how close the scores were.

In the second game the Irving broke loose. Dr. Fulton, George, Chutter and G. C. Fulton were all well up in the forties, while a miserable 23 was the best the visitors could show. In this game the Irving bowled a 41 average. In the third and fourth games they did even better, securing 24 and 28, against 21 and 21 for the visitors.

The Irving have wonderfully improved. They bowled a strong, steady game and richly deserved last night's victory. On the other hand, the A. F. C. men were unmitigatedly off. Even burroughs, who made the first total, got but two good games, while Higgins, Laws and Sovey, who usually bowled a fair game, failed to get into the forties. It was the very poor, set game the A. F. C. men have ever put up, the team average being less than 25. The average of the Irving was over 39, and they scored 119 pins more than the visitors.

G. C. Fulton and Chutter bowled the best games for the Irving, the former securing the high total, 117, and the best single score, 55. Chutter pulled out with 120. Both he and Fulton bowled consistent. Burroughs finished high for the visitors, securing 161. His 31 was the high single score for the visitors.

Thus far 29 games have been bowled, of which the Irving have won 19 and the A. F. C. 9, the remaining game—the first bowled in the contest—resulting in a tie. The total pins made by the Irving is 4417, while the A. F. C. men are accredited with 424, a difference of 77. Contests of this kind usually are calculated from 24 games, so the A. F. C. team may yet pull out in the lead. The return contest will be played at the Foot-ball alley, probably two weeks hence. Burroughs will captain the A. F. C. men, while G. C. Fulton will officiate in a like capacity for the Irving.

Last night's scores were:
IRVING CLUB.
G. C. Fulton.....38 49 55 42-179
W. T. Chutter.....41 47 36 46-170
H. Burroughs.....45 49 36 38-168
J. A. Fulton.....33 48 21 49-152
W. C. Logan.....32 34 25 46-141
C. E. Bain.....26 37 49 36-142

ASTORIA FOOTBALL CLUB.
L. B. Burroughs.....33 29 47 51-161
Herman Wise.....43 24 34 35-145
H. Cooper.....28 34 32 35-130
W. C. Logan.....33 48 21 49-152
P. B. Sovey.....32 34 39 39-135
The scores by games were:
Irving Club.....206 244 246 219-944
A. F. C. men.....208 211 211-831

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

C. B. Higgins to Alex Martilla, lot 15, block 12, Astoria addition to Warren..... \$75
William A. Hart et al to Mary Abercrombie, et al, southeast quarter, section 12, township 7 north, range 19 west..... 150
David Dupe and W. B. Starr to Columbia Fishing Company, 16.69 acres of tideland in sections 13 and 14, township 9 north, range 8 west, and 79 acres and 3.43 acres in the fractional sections of 17 and 18, same township, also 8.2 acres in same section and township..... 1

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CALL FOR WARRANTS.

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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of Frances Tryon, deceased, and that all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased must present the same to the undersigned, duly verified, at the office of Fulton Bros., attorneys, in Astoria, Oregon, within six months from this date. A. A. CLEVELAND, Jr., Astoria, Oregon, March 7, 1899.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Sam Olson, a trader of Chinook was in the city yesterday.

H. B. Parker is seriously ill, being confined to his rooms, suffering from a severe attack of neuralgia.

W. I. Reid, the lumberman, came down from Portland yesterday, and is registered at the Occident.

BEST OF ALL.

To cleanse the system in a gentle and beneficial manner, when the spring-time comes, use the true and perfect remedy, Syrup of Figs. Buy the genuine. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, and for sale by all druggists, at 50 cents per bottle.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

OCCIDENT.

James Drummond Gray's river. W. P. Clark, San Francisco. H. S. Smith, San Francisco. Andy McCarthy, San Francisco. W. B. Hollingsworth, Portland. Charles C. Woodcock, Portland. James P. Gray, Portland. W. T. Reid, Oakland. M. P. Callender, Chinook. J. G. Mogier and wife, Brookfield. W. A. Rothstein, Seattle. E. W. Hollabaugh, St. Paul.

PARKER HOUSE.

L. J. Moser, Gray's river. F. C. Hood, Astoria. A. Binford, Fort Canby. Fritz Johnson, Chinook. Frank Badger, Clatskanie.

ANOTHER CABINET OFFICER.

Congress will soon be called upon to pass a law creating a new cabinet portfolio. This official will probably be known as the secretary of the colonies. It will be his duty to look after the welfare of the islands which were seized by the United States in our war with Spain. While he is attending to his duties, Howitzer's Stomach Bitters will continue to attend to its duties of curing the sick of stomach, liver and kidney disorders, just as it has been doing for fifty years. Its greatest virtues are in building up run-down systems; in quieting and toning unstrung nerves; in overcoming dyspepsia, indigestion and constipation. Try a bottle if you feel "out of sorts."

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LACE CURTAINS.

Mrs. C. Raemussen is prepared to do up curtains in satisfactory style. Good work guaranteed. Leave orders at Oregon Bakery.

CHANGE OF PARTNERSHIP.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has this day sold his interest in the business of Christensen & Co, and withdrawn from said firm. All outstanding accounts are payable to said firm and all liabilities contracted on account of the old business will be liquidated by the remaining partners in said firm. Astoria, March 15, 1899. ANGLUS GOH.

THROUGH TICKETS TO SAN FRANCISCO AND SACRAMENTO, ALL RAIL.

The Astoria & Columbia River Railroad Company has placed on sale at both the city and depot ticket offices through tickets to San Francisco and Sacramento, via its line and the Southern Pacific from Portland. Rates from Astoria are as follows:
First-class, including berth in Pullman sleeper.....\$7.00
Second-class, including berth in Pullman sleeper.....\$4.00
Tourist sleeper.....\$2.00
At destination there will be made a refund of \$5 on first-class and \$4 on second-class tickets, making through net rate \$13.00 first and \$10.00 second-class from Astoria to points named.

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| MRS. M. M. KENZIE, Millinery. | WILL MADISON, Cigars and Tobacco. |
| GRIFFIN & REED, Books and Stationery. | H. F. ALLEN & CO., Wall Paper, Paints and Oil. |
| | THE WONDER BAZAR, Fancy Notions, Toys. |

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