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FLAMES SWEEP TOWN OF SEASIDE

Entire Business Section is Destroyed By Fire.

Starting in Rear of Drug Store at Main and Bridge Streets, All Four Corners Are Swept.

Seaside, Or., May 14, 1 a. m.—Fire, starting in Callaghan's bridge saloon at 11:30 p. m., and which is still burning early this morning, has destroyed the entire business section of Seaside. The loss is estimated at approximately $200,000. The zone swept by the flames is bounded on the west by the Necanicum river, on the east by the city hall, on the north by a vacant lot just beyond the livery stable, and on the south by McGuire's hotel.

Following is a list of approximate losses:

Selens & Wheatley, general merchandise, $30,000; Godfrey Bros., jewerly store, $10,000; James Peterson & Co., $15,000; Dresser & Cheney, $30,000; Lewis & Co., drug store, $15,000; Conn Drug Co., $10,000; Antlers saloon, 5000; Ocean saloon, $5000; Horseshoe saloon, $3000; Bridge saloon, $5000; Arcade saloon, $5000; Alex Gilbert & Son, buildings, $75,000; Stratton cigar store, $2000; McRoberts' bakery, $2000; City Hall, $1500; Palace restaurant, $1000; Puritan restaurant, $1500; Smith rooming house, $3000; Gragg livery barn, $5000; R. Price, market, $1000; Frank L. Smith meat market, $2000; Postoffice, $2500; residences, $7500.

A large force of men is working desperately to keep the fire from crossing the river, and at this hour it seems likely that they will succeed. Nevertheless, some West Side cottagers are moving out their belongings.

All the lights in town are out. The telephone office has been burned. The Western Union wire from the depot constitutes the sole present means of communication with the outside.

An appeal for help has been sent to Astoria and a special train is on the way with fire engines.

It is not now certain whether the fire started in the Bridge saloon or in the rear of the Lewis drug store. In both drug stores violent explosinns occurred. Efforts have been made to check the progress of the flames by destroying several buildings with dynamite.

The sea is lit up for miles with the glare of the flames and on the beach it is as light as day. Many guests at the Hotel Moore became alarmed when they first observed the fire, but soon learned that there was little danger of the fire coming that far westward. Sparks and firebrands are being showered freely over the West Side district. There is a very light southeast breeze and unless the wind rises the West Side is assured of safety.

It is thought the fire will not reach the depot, as there is some vacant ground between. The city hall was burned. The horses from the burning livery stable were saved, but little was saved from any of the stores.

Later—The Astoria fire department arrived at 1:35 a. m. with a steamer and 1000 feet of hose.

There are 150 firemen and volunteers at work. The fire is under control. Hundreds are homeless with no place to sleep, having lost even their clothes. Only two stores are left to feed the town.

Flowers Deck Ship's Bed.

New York—Standing on the bridge of the Carmania in mid-ocean, Mrs. J. H. Loring, of New York and London, scattered flowers on the water of the Atlantic in memory of her husband, who lost his life on the Titanic.

When the Carmania, had arrived in latitude 41.16 and longitude 50.14, the nearest position to where the Titanic sank, Mrs. Loring, attired in deep mourning, was escorted to the bridge by Captain Dow. Five hundred cabin passengers stood on the decks as Mrs. Loring scattered the flowers on the sea. Men stood with heads bowed and uncovered, while some of the women passengers, touched by the widow's devotion, wept.

"Feeder" Rates Restored.

Washington, D. C.—The Interstate Commerce commission has issued an order requiring Western railroads to put into effect and maintain for two years from June 13, 1912, the rates on "feeder" cattle and sheep defined in the report of the commission on March 11 this year. In effect, this order retains the rates on stock cattle and sheep which have been in force for a long time, the cancellation by the railroads of the lower rates on such livestock being held by the commission as unreasonable.

Ships Collide at Sea.

San Francisco—Badly waterlogged, the sailing schooner Mayflower was towed into this port by the steam schooner San Pedro, with which the Mayflower was in collision off Point Reyes. Captain Bendickson, of the San Pedro, was hurled to the deck by the force of the collision and his shoulder was dislocated. The San Pedro, which escaped injury, at once took the disabled vessel in tow. The San Pedro was bound for Eureka, and the Mayflower for Coquille, River, Oregon.

Strike Does Not Spread.

San Francisco — The pressmen's strike in this city has not extended beyond the Examiner, which appeared Sunday morning with a four-page news section. At a meeting of the Publishers' association a proposal that all other newspapers of the city should cut down their issues to the same size as the Examiner did not carry and unless it should subsequently be put into effect, the understanding is that the strike will not spread.

"Moonshining" in Scotland.

The discovery was made, recently in the mountainous region near Kyle of Lochalsh (Scotland) by the Rosshire preventive staff of a complete illicit whisky distilling plant. The still was covered with a cairn and had a capacity of 20 gallons, the smoke being led along the mountain side. The smugglers had conducted a regular traffic.

Loss of Appetite

Which is so common in the spring or upon the return of warm weather, is loss of vitality, vigor or tone, and is often a forerunner of prostrating disease.

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PINAFORE WAS TOO POPULAR

Once Everybody Sang or Played It or Made Continued Use of Its Catch Phrases.

There was a time when the vogue of "Pinafore" was simply amazing. It was not copyrighted and after its success in London it was pirated in the United States. This piracy was the initial cause of Gilbert's hatred of America and Americans.

However, if America did not send him its dollars, it was quite ready to spread his fame, says the Bookman. Church choirs added "Pinafore" to their repertoires, and it is recorded that 100,000 barrel organs were constructed to play nothing else. Here is an ironical note from a newspaper of the time:

"At present there are 42 companies playing 'Pinafore.' Companies formed after 6 p. m. yesterday are not included."

Its catch phrase, "What, never? Well, hardly ever!" was deadly. It is told, for instance, that one editor barred his staff from using it.

"It occurred 20 times in as many articles yesterday. Never let me see it used again." "What, never?" was the unanimous question. "Well, hardly ever," replied the wretched man.

The readiness of W. S. Gilbert's wit is well illustrated by this story told of him. He and F. C. Burnand, the editor of Punch, were guests at the same dinner table where a wise host placed the rival humorists at opposite ends of the room in the hope of distributing equally the witty table talk.

Continual shouts of laughter rose from Gilbert's corner until Burnard, after ineffectual attempts to arouse a similar jocularity in his immediate circle and unable to conceal his chagrin, leaned forward and said in his most sarcastic manner:

"I suppose Mr. Gilbert is telling some of those funny stories which he occasionally sends to Punch but which don't appear."

To which Gilbert dryly replied: "I don't know who sends the funny stories to Punch, but it's very true they don't appear."

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Sponge Cake.

Three eggs, a quarter of a pound of flour, four tablespoonfuls of sugar, grated rind of half a lemon. Sift the flour on to a piece of paper, adding one teaspoonful of baking powder and sift again. Put the eggs into a basin and beat them for fully ten minutes, add the sugar and beat for twenty minutes. Stir in the flour, baking powder and lemon rind as lightly as possible. Butter a cake tin, then dust it over with flour. Pour the mixture into the prepared tin, and bake in a very moderate oven for about one hour. This mixture may be baked in small gem pans if preferred.

Mothers will find Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup the best remedy to use for their children during the teething period.

Continent That Was Lost.

One of the wonders of the word that men hear little about is the Lost Continent. Sea-going men are familiar with the chain of little islands that extend from the continent of Asia down to Australia. Should the ocean go down five hundred feet this Lost Continent would be restored. It is believed that a few aeons ago the Lost Continent really existed.

China Chilo.

Cold roast mutton should be diced and placed in a saucepan with a good pint of green peas, one head of lettuce torn into shreds, sufficient gravy to moisten and a good seasoning. Simmer for half an hour and serve with an accompaniment of boiled rice.

Worse Still.

"Did you hear about the awful affliction which has befallen Mrs. Talkitt?" "Don't tell me she has lost her voice!" "No, her husband has lost his hearing."—Houston Post.

Baby's Advantage.

A baby is tolerably helpless, but he has one advantage—he doesn't have to listen to the foolishness grown men talk to him unless he wants to.

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CONTROLLED HORSESHOES.

Steel Corporation Designated Lowest Bidder in Advance.

New York—The American Steel & Wire company, one of the biggest of the subsidiaries of the United States Steel corporation, was a partner to pool agreements with other manufacturers, whereby prices in United States government bids were fixed and the business divided among the pool members, according to the testimony in the government suit to dissolve the corporation.

The testimony was given by Samuel J. Bailey, of the office of E. E. Jackson, "supervisor" of the wire pools, whose members were indicted and fined a year ago. Bailey acted as secretary of the Horseshoe Manufacturers' association, one of the seven pools.

The evidence was introduced by the government in support of its contention that the American Steel & Wire company was itself an illegal combination.

Bailey identified a copy of the rules and regulations of the Horseshoe association. The rules fixed the prices at which the members of the association should sell the horseshoes, prices being changed when necessary, the witness explained, at monthly meetings. A certain percentage of the business was alloted to each member and in case his monthly sales exceeded his allotment he was to pay cash into the association equivalent to the amount of the excess.

If they were less the association was to make up the deficiency.

In the case of government bids, Bailey said, Jackson selected the member who was to make the lowest bid and instructed other members to bid higher.

Bailey identified letters written by Jackson, "per Samuel J. Bailey," to the Bryden Horseshoe company, fixing the price on government contracts.

It was brought out as a point for the corporation that the association named to the government prices 10 to 15 cents a keg lower than the regular market prices.

Bailey remembered being present at a meeting when it was agreed that the Standard Horseshoe company should receive $350,000 a month to keep idle its patent machinery for manufacturing horseshoes.

Cross-examined, Bailey said that the pool was broken up in March, 1909, by the withdrawal of the American Steel & Wire company. To his knowledge none of the members of the executive committee ever had knowledge of the pool, he said.

House Will Hear Charges.

Washington, D. C.—Public hearings on charges against Robert W. Archibald, judge of the Commerce court, upon which may be based impeachment proceedings, were decided upon by the house judiciary committee. Testimony in open session will be begun immediately after the committee has examined all the papers forwarded by Attorney General Wickersham.

Edward J. Williams, of Scranton, Pa., will be the first witness. He is a coal dealer, who, it is alleged, negotiated with the Erie railroad for the purchase of culm bank property to be sold at a large profit, a transaction in which Judge Archbald is alleged to have been interested, would not discuss the charges, but denied that he attempted to flee to Europe.

Regatta Dates Changed.

Astoria—The board of directors of the Astoria Motor Boat club, have changed the dates for the coming annual regatta to August 27, 28 and 29. The dates originally selected were August 22, 23, and 24. The change was made in order to have the big water carnival after the fishing season closes August 25.

Manager Trenchard will take up the matter of securing a revenue cutter to patrol the course during the races, having the course formally approved by the Treasury department and of having the department issue rules governing the course so as to prevent interference with the races by steamers. He will apply to the Navy department asking that one or more warships be detailed to come here for the regatta.

Plea for Innocent Purchasers.

Washington, D. C.—B. D. Townsend concluded his argument before the house public lands committee in support of the Lafferty bill for relief of innocent purchasers of Oregon and California railroad land. A. C. Dixon, of the Booth-Kelly Lumber company, on behalf of his company and other innocent purchasers, will be heard in support of the measure. Townsend told the committee the government had not sued and would not sue those purchasers who acquired less than a thousand acres from the road.

Mexican Reports Exaggerated.

Washington, D. C.—The plight of Americans on the west coast of Mexico appears to have been exaggerated, according to reports received at the War department from Quartermaster Ely, in command of the transport Buford. The officer reports: "Best information received is that less than one dozen Americans will embark at Mochis. Best of feeling shown toward the Buford. Took aboard one typhoid patient at Mazatlan. Am informed that about 65 Americans will embark at Mazatlan on our return."

Scientist's Will Held Valid.

Concord, N. H.—The clause of the will of Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, founder of the Christian Science church, bequeathing the residue of her estate, valued at about $2,000,000, to the First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Boston, creates a "valid trust," in the opinion of the Supreme court. The court holds that the "residuary clause is not a gift to a church, but a gift for religious purposes, sustainable as a charitable trust."

Agreed to Pension Bill.

Washington, D. C.—The report by the conferees of the two houses of congress on the general pension bill was agreed to by the senate. The bill will necessitate an average increase of appropriations of $22,000,000 a year for the next five years. The greatest increase will occur next year, when it will reach $35,000,000.

BLOODSHED DUE IN STRIKE ZONE

Armed Coal Miners Clash With Pennsylvania Troops.

One Dying, Many Injured—Railroads Dynamited—Americans Barred From Meetings.

Philadelphia—The situation in the anthracite regions is believed to be growing more serious hourly.

The shooting of three foreign-speaking miners at Minersville by state troopers has had the effect of embittering the foreigners.

At a meeting in Minersville, at which all Americans were barred, threats were made against the troops and the miners assembled say they are determined to prevent work being done at any of the collieries in the Minersville section.

It is feared that if the troopers attempt to carry out their avowed intention to search the foreigners' homes for firearms it will mean bloodshed.

At Shenandoah the state troopers were called out to disperse a crowd of several thousand which had assembled because of some trivial incident, but there was no violence.

Tracks on the Natalie branch of the Reading railroad near Shamokin were dynamited, several rails being torn from the ties. The road leads to the Natalie colliery, which has been idle since the suspension of work April 1.

Dynamite fastend to the Erie tracks near Scranton was found in time to prevent the blowing up of a freight train.

In a battle between the state police and a crowd estimated at between 2000 and 3000 men at Minersville four men are known to have been shot and three probably were fatally wounded. It is believed that a dozen or more others also were struck by bullets.

TURKS DEFEAT ITALIANS; TAKE 1000 PRISONERS

London—A news dispatch from Pera, Turkey, says that the governor of the Turkish island of Rhodes, where Italian troops landed a few days ago, telegraphs: "We have won a victory and have captured 1000 Italians."

Stamboul — A sensational report that the Italian troops have experienced a serious defeat in the island of Rhodes, losing 1000 prisoners and suffering many causalties, comes from the Vali of Smyrna, who says that he received the news by heliograph from Rhodes. The Turkish government awaits confirmation of the report before announcing the news officially.

SIGHT IS TWICE RESTORED.

Man Strangely Stricken, With Eyes Apparently Sound, Sees Again.

Passaic, N. J.—The sight of Cleveland W. Speer, of this city, who has been twice stricken blind in the last six months, is returning in as strange a manner as it left him. Six months ago without warning he experienced a sudden pain in his forehead. In five minutes he was totally blind. Specialists found that his eyes were perfect and no cause for blindnes scould be determined. After a few weeks he began to regain his sight, but a week ago he awoke one morning to find himself totally blind again. A few days later he experienced a pain similar to that of six months ago and after a few minutes he found his vision returning.

Convict, Freed, Hired By Prison.

Seattle, Wash. — George Edward Adams, who was released Monday after serving more than five years in the Federal penitentiary at McNeill Island for the theft of many thousand dollars' worth of gold dust from the Seattle assay office, has returned to the penitentiary to take up the position of bookkeeper which he occupied during his incarceration, not, however, as a prisoner, but as a civilian, at a salary of $1200 a year. This report was confirmed by Warden O. P. Halligan, of the Federal penitentiary, through whose efforts the appointment was made.

French Add to Forces.

Paris — Owing to the threatening conditions in Morocco, the French government has decided to send seven battalions of infantry, instead of three battalions, as originally planned, as well as extra batteries of artillery, to that country. Two battalions of native Senegal infantry are now being mobilized at Dakar, and these will reach Casa Blanca, Morocco, June 20. These reinforcements will give General Moiner a force of 32,000 men, with another 11,000 spread out along the frontier of Algeria.

Lawyers Oppose Recall.

Chicago—Members of the Illinois State Bar association by popular vote have expressed their disapproval of the recall system. The returns on the vote when counted at the association's headquarters gave the following results:

Against the recal of judges in Illinois, 546; for the recall of judges in Illinois, 109; against the recall of decisions involving constitutional questions, 515; for recall by popular vote of decisions involving constitutional questions, 143.

Halibut Catch is Record.

Seattle, Wash.—Old timers in the fishing industry are discussing the marvelous catch of 362,575 pounds of halibut recently brought to this port by the Weiding & Independent Fisheries company's steamship Independent. The catch is the largest ever made by a single vessel in the world and far surpasses the records on both the Atlantic and Pacific coasts according to those well versed in the history of the halibut industry.

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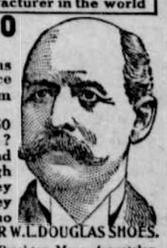

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WAYS OF SERVING CHEESE

Some Suggestions for the Housekeeper Who Wishes to Avoid Monotony.

The housekeeper who does not believe in monotony does not serve cheese in the same way two days in succession. A little planning will enable her to run three or four different kinds of cheese at the same time, keeping them all fresh by putting them in an airtight cold place.

As most cheeses spoil quickly it is well to buy in smaller portions, especially in warm weather. Some cheeses are so perishable that grocers will not handle them in summer, and they should not be bought unless to be eaten at once.

The same kind of cheese may be served in various forms. Take the popular cream cheese, probably more used than any other one make. If you pass it out in squares one day, the next mix it in balls sprinkled with parsley; again mix with chopped pimolas; or thin slightly with whipped cream, mix with chopped red peppers, and remold into a flat thin cake, which is passed whole.

Instead of serving bar-le-duc and cream cheese separately, stir together into a mixture about the consistency of creamed butter and sugar.

Fried cheese balls are delicious served with plain lettuce and French dressing. Mix into the cheese chopped parsley, a dash of cayenne, a pinch of salt, and two drops of onion juice. Mold into balls, dip in egg and bread crumbs, and fry in boiling lard before serving.

Another fried cheese with lettuce is made of the English or ordinary American cheese cut in strips like French fried potatoes. Dip these in seasoned egg and bread crumbs and fry in deep fat when ready for use.

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One of the Largest Elephants.

A recent writer in the Field newspaper gives the dimensions of an old Indian elephant, which would scarcely have been much inferior in size to a mastodon. According to his account the animal measured 11¼ feet in height at the shoulders, 25 feet 5 inches from the tip of the trunk to the end of the tail. The distance from the tip of the trunk to one eye was 7 feet; from one eye to the tail nearly 13½ feet, and the tail was 4½ feet in length. The tusks were 5 feet 2 inches long.—Harper's Monthly Magazine.

Mistrusted Santa Claus.

As Christmas time drew near Bobby expressed a wish for some specially desired article. His mother suggested that he write to Santa Claus about it. "Mother," said the child, after some hesitation, "I—I think everything of Santy, an' I know how good he is an' everthing, but, mother, he's so awful busy that he forgets, sometimes' Last year, you 'member, I asked him for a toy goat an' he sent me four dogs. I wish you'd look after this one thing yourself!"

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Pie Sufficed for Large Party.

Over 90 persons partook, the other day at Gorleston, Suffolk, England, of a gigantic sea-pie, into the making of which there entered two stone of flour, six rabbits, six ox and sheep kidneys, 28 pounds of beefsteak, two score of green vegetables, half a stone of onions, and two stone of turnips and carrots. The total weight of the pie was over two hundred pounds, and it took two days to cook.

All Are Ours.

We lament the hostility of circumstances and the elusive nature of opportunity; but if we are in the stream of power all circumstances are ours. The master of right living is keyed to his surroundings and lives as the rose opens to the sky and air. Study yourself, lay firm hold on the deep germs of angelhood, the folded blossoms of beauty, and bid them come forth!

He Knew.

Flapper (reading a novel)—This is an improbable book. I'm sure these two would have kissed each other long ago.—Fliegende Blaetter.

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Stir together two tablespoonfuls of butter and one of flour previously mixed with a little milk. Add a pint of milk and white stock mixed in equal quantities; or a pint of milk alone. Add a sliced carrot, a chopped onion, a few sprigs of parsley and salt and pepper to taste. Put into the sance whatever meat it is intended to fricassee and stew gently until tender. Remove the pieces into another saucepan, thicken with the yolks of two eggs, squeeze in the juice of half a lemon, pour over the meat and serve very hot.

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Tobacco Raising in Ireland.

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Exercise.

Mrs. Knicker—"Can you get your boots buttoned without bending your knees?" Mrs. Bocker—"Certainly; I make my husband do it."—Harper's Bazar.

As a Flower.

The spirit of a person's life is ever shedding some power, just as a flower is steadily bestowing fragrance upon the air.—T. Starr King.

Christianity and Citizenship.

Whatever makes men good Christians makes them good citizens.—Daniel Webster.