

ELECTRIC MOTOR CO.

THE STREET RAILWAY CONSOLIDATED... THE NEW POSTOFFICE.

Articles of Incorporation Filed Yesterday. With a Capital Stock of \$125,000—Prominent Citizens Interested in the Enterprise.

Articles of Incorporation of the Seattle Electric Railway & Power Company, with Frank H. Osmond, Edward C. Kilbourne, Thomas Burke, L. H. Smith, G. H. Haller, Angus Mackintosh and Victor H. Smith as incorporators and trustees, were filed at the auditor's office yesterday.

The expressed objects of the company are to build and operate street railway lines with such motive power as may be deemed most efficient; to manufacture and furnish electricity for supplying motive power, heat, light or any other purpose; to purchase, consolidate with, lease or otherwise acquire other street railroads; to consolidate with electric light companies, power companies of any kind, gas, water, steam, telephone and telegraph lines and telephone companies; to purchase, lease or acquire telegraph and telephone lines and telegraph companies; to purchase, lease or acquire wharves, docks, steamboats, locks and flumes, and carry passengers and freight.

Large Enough for Present Needs, But Too Small for the Future.

The new postoffice room in the Boston block has been plastered and the office will be moved into the room building as soon as the plastering is dry, which will probably not be much before the first of next month.

When the room in the Boston block was leased Seattle had a population of about 10,000, and it was thought the new quarters would be large enough to accommodate the population for five years, but since that time the population has increased very rapidly, and we now have, including the transient people, over 25,000 population.

PRISONERS WILL BE WORKED.

The Chief of Police Will Inaugurate the Chain-Gang System. In order that the public may be made terror to evil doers, the chain-gang has been inaugurated. Last winter when crime was becoming rampant and the city jail was crowded to overflowing, a chain-gang was organized to accommodate the overflow on the public streets. The effect was most salutary, and the number of prisoners commenced to diminish.

THE PEOPLE'S PARTY OCT. 9. To the Members of the People's Party.—In reply to the notice published in today's Post-Intelligencer by a number of the People's party candidates regarding their disunity with some members of the People's party committee, the undersigned offer the following explanation:

There is no truth whatever in the statement that the two members assailed by the candidates follow a rule of ruin policy, and that any such policy of theirs has caused this trouble. The true inwardness of the matter is of a different nature. It emanates from the fact that the candidates signing yesterday's notice intend to "run" the entire campaign themselves, completely ignoring the undersigned members of the county committee, thereby evincing an insulting hostility, which evidently springs from the fact that they are not in favor of the convention which they have just called.

FOR FORTIFICATION.—George M. Van Doren, administrator of the estate of C. M. Van Doren, yesterday brought suit against William M. Frank, William L. Lyle and Alfred Berry, minor heirs of William M. and Alice Berry. The complaint states that on December 22, 1887, William M. Berry and wife, for a valuable consideration, executed a mortgage on a certain lot on the southeast 1/4 of the southwest 1/4 of section 17, township 3 north of range 3 east, the interest has been paid up to April, 1888, and that nothing has been paid since then. The suit is for a foreclosure of the mortgage.

PROSECUTED DETECTIVE AGENCY.—Mr. A. J. Lucas of the Pacific Coast Detective Agency, the headquarters of which is now in Los Angeles, California, is spending a few days in Seattle, considering the advisability of locating here, and making this city the headquarters of his agency. He is greatly pleased with the appearance of the place, and his wife, who is with him, is well pleased with the city.

HEAVY FINE.—Patrick Roach was fined \$20 in Justice Soderberg's court yesterday for carrying a concealed weapon. He paid the fine because it was heavier than usually imposed for such an offense, because it is said that Roach is a gambler and sometimes runs a bluff with a revolver. The weapon is a fine, ivory-handled gun of superior quality. Roach is connected with a well-known gambling resort in this city. He said on the stand that he was a client partner in a saloon, but claimed that he could not remember where the place was located.

WHARFAGE RATES.

COMPLAINTS OF SHIPPERS AT THE HIGH CHARGES TAXED.

Consensus of Opinion That the Burden of Outgoing Freight Should Be Made Lighter—Various Views of the Situation.

Owing to complaints of merchants of this city on the schedule wharfage rates prevailing at the various docks, a Post-Intelligencer reporter called, Tuesday, on some of the leading wholesale houses to ascertain the true status of the alleged charges. The reporter found that the charges on all goods shipped from Yesler's dock, Harrison & Smith's, Hatfield's, and the City dock, 50 cents per ton measure, is charged; while on the Seattle Warehouse Company's wharf no wharfage is levied on goods shipped from the city. The reporter is satisfied that the present charges on receipts should continue, but consider it against the business interests of the city that charges on shipments should be made in addition, since the margin will not permit the additional expense.

Two Insanity Cases. Remer Gray Evidently Convalescing—W. J. Graham Victim.

Friends of W. J. Graham, of Raging river, made complaint in probate court yesterday that he is insane and unfit to be at large. A warrant was issued for his arrest and he will be examined in probate court to-morrow.

AMUSEMENTS. FIVE'S OPERA HOUSE.—Next week there will be three nights of comic opera by the reorganized Juvenile company under the management of Messrs. Hudson & Eckert.

MR. RONALD'S POKER GARD. LA COSNOR, OCT. 8.

TO THE EDITOR: In your issue of October 7, in an editorial under the caption of "Ronald's Cards," you say: "Prosecuting Attorney Ronald, in his speech at Snohomish city on Thursday evening, exclaimed, feelingly to the citizens: 'I have no objection to my contemporary who has made a duty out of plying his trade.'"

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. Deeds Recorded at the Auditor's Office Yesterday.

Twenty-two deeds were filed for record yesterday, the considerations aggregating \$19,948.50, an average of \$908. Following is the list as furnished by Wood & Osborne, abstracters of titles:

J. S. Day to S. Johnson, lot 1, blk 2, Day's plat, \$100. J. H. Bengtson to M. B. O'Connor, lots 11 and 12, blk 2, Rowland's add, \$200.

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A CAPTURED BURGLAR.

DETECTIVE WOOLERY IS SURE HE HAS ENOUGH EVIDENCE TO CONVICT.

Part of it will be developed at the preliminary examination to-day. She maintains his innocence—His Form of Arrest.

James Eastwood was in Justice Soderberg's court yesterday afternoon charged with assaulting his wife, Margaret. Eastwood said he was provoked to the assault by his wife's drinking. It was shown by other witnesses that she is a hard-working woman and supports the family by doing washing at a dollar a day.

She claims to be innocent. She was seen in the jail by a Post-Intelligencer reporter yesterday afternoon, and was asked: "What have you to say about the charge on which you were arrested?"

"Nothing, except that I know nothing about it. I don't know whether or not I was in town that night. I went over to Tacoma on the Olympia about that time, and want to see the young fellows I went over with to find out whether it was before or after the Occidental burglary."

"Don't you remember hearing or reading of the burglary before you left Seattle?"

"No, sir."

"What do you know about the man who gives his name as Charles Martin, who was arrested in Port Angeles, and being connected with the burglary?"

"Nothing at all. I never saw him and never heard of him."

"You must be pretty well known in Seattle, as you have been tried here for robbery, in Port Angeles, and going since you were released from jail last June?"

"I have been in Seattle most of the time. I have been suffering from rheumatism since July 4, and have not done anything. I can prove this, although Woolery says my lameness is a ruse."

"You ought to be able to prove it if it is a fact, by your physician. What doctor do you consult?"

"Well, I don't have any. I went out and got some self and liniment, and doctored myself. Yes, and I was in a Seattle medical doctor once."

"How about the statement that you once served time in the Joliet penitentiary?"

"That isn't so. I never was in the state of Pennsylvania."

"Joliet is in Illinois."

"Well, I've been in Illinois, but never at Joliet. I don't know who started that story."

"As the reporter turned away he said: 'Of course you are innocent.'"

"Cert," replied Shea, smilingly. He appeared very self-possessed and confident during the interview. He talks with a slight Irish brogue, and appears to be quite intelligent.

MR. WOOLERY POSITIVE. "What reason have you to believe that Shea was connected in the Occidental hotel burglary?"

TRIMMED HATS AND BONNETS!

(Third Floor, Take Elevator.)

We are now displaying our preliminary exhibit of Fall Styles in Trimmed Bonnets, Round Hats and Turbans; also a large assortment of Trimmed Goods for children; also a full assortment of Felt Hats and Bonnets, Feathers and Ornaments, etc.

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