HARN IS ACQUITTED.

Jury Promptly Finds He Acted in Self-Defense.

EGGEN STRUCK THE FIRST BLOW

Mrs. Fraser Sues Page for Damages—Decision in Fares-Gleason Suit—Verdict for McGraw.

The jury in the Harn murder trial, after being out nine minutes, brought in a verdict of not guilty yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock. The trial is said to be the shortest on record for a regular murder trial, and the result was not at all unexpected by the crowd in attendance.

The evidence showed that Harn was acting in self-defense and had no intention of killing Eggen, but on the other hand did all in his power to bring him about all right.

The history of the killing is that while Harn and Eggen were on their way home from Kent, Eggen demanded money from Harn, who said he did not have it handy. Eggen became angered and tried to hit Harn with the handle of a churn, and after two unsuccessful attempts was hit on the temple with a pitchfork, and died several days after of a fractured skull.

The taking of testimony began in the morning. The first witness called by the state being Dr. Horton, who performed the post-mortem examination, Dr. Sole and Dr. Hoye, who testified that the skull had been fractured on the left side, the deceased dying from the loss of blood.

E. W. Molke, of Kent, testified that deceased on his deathbed said he did not know why Harn had struck him. On cross-examination he admitted that he did not quite understand Eggen, as he was talking in the Swedish language, but thought that was what he said.

The state then called Eddie Molke, a lad of 15 years, who was the only eye-witness. The boy said he saw the row and saw Harn hit Eggen. His story weakened greatly on cross-examination by Mr. Piles. He was asked if he did not say at the preliminary examination that Eggen was trying to hit Harn coming down the road, and he admitted that he did, and thought he said that Eggen was trying to hit Harn, and that it was then that Harn hit him. The state rested its case here.

The defense proved by Mr. Doolittle, Tom May and J. A. Cavanaugh that Eggen said before he died that he had made a fight on Harn and had tried to hit him first.

C. E. Guiberson and Terence O'Brien swore that young Molke said before the justice of the peace that Eggen had struck Harn first.

A. Tilley, of Kent, stated that he kept the hotel at Kent when Eggen was injured. He stated that he had several talks with Eggen while he was sick and heard him say several times that he had struck at Harn several times with an iron handle before Harn hit him.

Harn himself was next called, and said he had lived in the county twenty-seven years. He was shot when a child and injured severely twice afterward. He knew Eggen from March until October, 1894. Eggen worked for him, and witness said he owed him money. He met Eggen on the day of the row in Kent and was asked to take a drink, after which he, Eggen and another man started toward Harris' ranch. On the way Eggen got troublesome, picked up the churn handle and came towards him and told him he had to have some money. Witness told him he would get him some, but Eggen insisted, and rushed at him with a wild look, striking at him, and he hit Eggen with the fork. After Eggen fell down, witness picked him up and, with a little help, got him to town, went to the hotel and secured him a room. He then sat up at night with him and gave him all the attention he could. He had no more intention of killing the man than he had of killing himself, and only hit him to protect himself.

Mr. Hastie, on cross-examination, asked the witness if Eggen was drunk, and he said he did not think so; he never saw him drunk before.

"What did he do after you hit him?" "Fell down."

"Did he get up again?" "He tried to, and reached for the handle, and I kicked it away."

The opening statement to the jury was made by Mr. Wilshire, deputy prosecuting attorney. He made a plain statement of facts, and thought that the country being so open, leaving a way of escape, the defendant should not have taken a human life, no matter whether he was in fear of being injured by the deceased or not. He accused the counsel for the defense of "badgering" the boy who testified at the morning session, and said that was the "strong" point of the defense.

Mr. Piles followed Mr. Wilshire in a strong argument and held that no proof had been introduced to warrant holding the prisoner as long as he has been held. He asked if the names of the reputable witnesses that testified for the defense would not carry weight. He said he did not "badger" the small boy. He also dwelt on Harris' action after Eggen was struck down and up to the time of the latter's death.

Prosecuting Attorney Hastie closed the case for the state in a recital of the testimony, and thought it time that such "accidents" were dealt with according to law. He thought conviction should follow in these cases.

The judge charged the jury at 5:40, and at 5:49 a verdict of not guilty was returned.

Harn and his friends returned to Kent last night.

MRS. FRASER SUES FOR DAMAGES.

She Claims $25,000 From Page for Loss of Her Husband.

Paul E. Page, who was acquitted Monday night of killing Harry Fraser, will have to answer to a suit brought against him yesterday by Mrs. Fraser for $25,000 damages to herself and her child by the loss of the husband and father by Page's bullet.

The complaint which was filed in the superior court yesterday charges Page with having killed Harry L. Fraser without just cause or provocation, and by reason of such shooting a guardian in the person of J. J. Madigan had to be appointed for the child, Harry Talbert Fraser, who is prosecuting the suit. The complaint says: "By reason of the acts and trespasses so wrongfully committed by the defendant, and by reason of the wrongful shooting and death of Harry L. Fraser, the widow, Elizabeth M. Fraser, and child, Harry Talbert Fraser, have been and are greatly damaged, to wit, in the sum of $25,000." The complaint states that at the time of his death, Fraser was earning and able to earn $300 a month for the support of his family.

Before filing the complaint the attorneys for Mrs. Fraser appeared before Judge Osborn and succeeded in having J. J. Madigan appointed guardian of the child, Harry Talbert Fraser.

FARES GETS HIS LAND BACK.

But He Must Pay Gleason His Money With Interest.

The suit of James Fares vs. James P. Gleason to set aside a mortgage on the ground of fraud was on trial yesterday afternoon before Judge Osborn. The witnesses for Fares testified that he is a simple-minded fellow and was the possessor of twenty-nine acres of land about five miles south of the city, worth from $135 to $300 an acre, and that Gleason talked Fares into accepting $1,200 for the entire tract, Fares signing the deed without knowing what it was.

The defense is that Gleason received only seventeen acres, which was worth, according to witnesses, $100. It was alleged that Fares claimed when he made the deed that he was sole heir to the property, when he was not, as his relatives had an interest in it.

Judge Osborn, in deciding the case, said that the evidence showed Fares to be of unsound mind, and the court was bound to protect him. He did not think the defendant was trying to defraud the plaintiff, but was in error in transacting business with such a man as Fares, and ordered that Fares pay back to defendant within thirty days the $1,200 paid for the land, with interest at the rate of 8 per cent. from a reasonable date after the signing of the contract, upon which Gleason is to deliver to the plaintiff a quit claim deed for the property. Failing payment, the deed becomes absolute. The judge thought $3,000 was a reasonable value for the land.

Gov. McGraw Wins the Third Trial.

A sealed verdict in favor of Gov McGraw was handed in at 9:30 Monday night by the jury in the suit against him of the Merchants' Exchange bank of Milwaukee vs. John H. McGraw et al. The case grew out of a levy made in 1890 by Sheriff McGraw on 100 bales of hops consigned to A. F. Luening & Co., of Milwaukee, under an execution for G. F. Livesley & Co., who had a $5,0000 claim against the consignees. The bill of lading for the shipment was assigned to the bank, and in the trial the plaintiff alleged that the hops were its property, not the property of Luening & C o., and therefore wrongfully levied upon.

Damage Suit for West Street Fire.

An amended complaint was filed yesterday in the United States court by D. B. Glass in his suit against J. M. Colman and wife and W. F. Butler and wife for $25,000 damages for injuries sustained in the West street hotel fire. He says that owing to faulty construction and lack of protection he had to jump twenty feet from a window and sustained serious injuries.

The Wolcott Mining Suit.

The hearing in the Kittitas county mining case, brought by John R. Wolcott against George Persinger and others, was continued all yesterday in Judge Langley's court without being finished. Testimony for the plaintiff was closed with the examination of Wolcott, and George R. Fisher, William J. Riley and J. A. Stolten, who were examined for the defense. The case will be resumed this morning.

Mrs. Hill Renews Her Suit.

Eliza M. Hill is making a third attempt to secure damages from the Oregon Improvement Company for the death of her husband, Col. George D. Hill, at Anacortes in 1890, caused by his falling from a gang plank while on his way aboard the steamer Eastern Oregon. The ground alleged is the old one that the wharf was not properly lighted.

Chinese Prisoners Appeal.

The three Chinese Loe Jim, How Pow and We Chong, who were ordered deported, have appealed their cases, alleging that they are very poor, but if they be excused the payment of $100 marshal's and commissioner's fees, they will be able to secure witnesses to prove that they lacked certificates through unavoidable causes.

New Suits Filed.

The following new suits were filed in the superior court yesterday:

S. L. Bowman vs. F. L. Jacobson et al.—Promissory note, $2,600, and attorney's fees.

Justina Howland vs. Emma Hathaway and S. D. Hathaway—Promissory note, $1,000, and interest.

Elizabeth M. Fraser et al. vs. Paul E. Page—Suit for damages.

George W. Fisher and Fred T. Fisher vs. J. B. Metzler and Jerome J. Metzler—Assigned claim, $140.50.

Frank H. Osgood vs. the Golden Cord Mining Company—Promissory note, $1,500, and interest.

National Bank of Commerce vs. Eliza E. Becker and Robert M. Becker—Promissory note, $155, and interest.

Sarah M. Adams vs. D. H. Blackmar et al.—Promissory note, $590, and interest.

Lippman Sachs vs. Isador Latour and M. Latour and R. H. Calligan—Promissory note, $1,126.10.

Courts and Public Offices.

Andrew Johnson, of Denmark, was admitted to citizenship in the United States court yesterday.

A marriage license was issued yesterday for Adam Sachs and Serena B. Marshal, both of Elbe, Wash.

An order directing notice to creditors in the estate of Jennie Middleton was filed yesterday by Judge Langley.

The case of Henry Deitrich vs. the Great Northern Railway Company has been dismissed upon consent of both parties.

Yesterday afternoon Judge Hanford refused a new trial to John Wren, convicted by a jury of selling whisky to Indians.

Judge Langley yesterday found for the plaintiff in the case of Henry Fuhrman vs. R. A. White et al. in the sum of $10,458 and attorneys' fees.

L. W. Bonney was yesterday discharged as administrator of the estate of John Fleming by Judge Langley, he having wound up the estate.

Articles of incorporation were filed yesterday for the Carstens & Earles Lumber Company; incorporators, Henry Carstens, Michael Earles and A. B. Martin; capital stock, $1,000.

Frank I. Curtis, receiver in the case of E. W. Andrews vs. the Standard Mill Company, petitioned Judge Langley yesterday for an order directing him to pay certain labor claims and to pay over to himself $500.

Orders of default were signed yesterday in the cases of William W. Kirkwood vs. Thomas F. Townsley et al.; Dexter Horton & Co. vs. William A. Harrington et al.; Walter Crockett vs. R. M. McIntyre; Mary C. De Steiguer vs. C. H. Reed et al.

An order confirming sale was signed in the superior court in the case of the Debenture Corporation vs. Lysander Smith et al., west half of northeast quarter and northwest quarter of northeast quarter sections 7 and 18, township 22, $2,950.50.

Subpenas were issued yesterday to D. Longstaff, L. C. Dabbitt, Albert Frinsky, A. Brannon, George Sughton, G. Wineholst, E. T. Shepard, Grant Shiner, Dr. T. Thorsen, George White, Harry Mohler and Ed Sibert to appear as witnesses for plaintiff in the case of Charles Brevort vs. Madison Street Railway Company.

"Pet Cigarettes."

The old favorites can now be found in every cigar store.

No Water for Temperance Street.

The water will be shut off between 8 a. m. and 2 p. m. today from the portion of the city bounded by Depot, Republican, Poplar and Temperance streets, as the water mains need repairing.

The Point of the Pistol

Is an effectual persuader, and there are many persons so unmindful of the symptoms of oncoming disease that it would almost take that deadly argument to induce them to adopt precautionary measures. The best of these is a recourse to that fine botanic restorer, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. It vanquishes malaria, rheumatism, kidney and bladder trouble, failing digestion, biliousness and irregularity of the bowels, and completely fortifies the system against their further inroads. Its ingredients are drawn from nature's storehouse, consequently it is free from the objections attaching to many absolutely or semi-mineral remedies. For the delicate, infirm, convalescent and elderly it is peculiarly beneficial. It well merits continuous and systematic use. Take it at bedtime to induce sleep, and between meals to stimulate appetite and digestion. The medical fraternity concur in indorsing it.

Cigarette Smokers

Who like a mild, pleasant smoke, should try the Old Dominions.

Mattie Burns and Mike Finnan, who were accused of stealing a miscellaneous lot of household goods from May Parks, were discharged from custody in the municipal court yesterday afternoon. The goods, which were found in a second-hand store, were given into the possession of the prosecuting witness.

"Old Dominion" Cigarettes.

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SUCCESS OF THE PINGREE PLAN

It Works Well in Seattle and Brought Admirable Results Elsewhere.

The Pingree plan, as in operation in this city, is proving a success, and the promoters of the undertaking feel encouraged at the outlook. Ferdinand Toklas said yesterday that there would be ready in a few days a detailed report of what had been done, and could say generally that everything was going nicely.

After the success of the plan in Detroit, many cities have adopted it as a means of providing a living for the worthy poor. The New York World, in a recent number, tells of the success of alloting to some 250 families about 300 acres of land at Steinway, L. I., and says the work is to be continued on a much more extensive scale. The plan was not put in operation until April 2, and of the 250 families represented some were alloted a quarter of an acre and others half an acre, according to numbers. The would-be farmers were furnished with seeds, teams, plows, fertilizers and everything else required. In many cases the very poor were allowed 7½ cents an hour while they were planting their crops, and this was done only when the applicants did not even have bread. A condition made in allotting the ground was that at least one-half of each plot should be planted in potatoes.

The 250 families assisted this year represent between 1,500 and 1,600 persons, who would have suffered but for the free farm scheme. The land was given only to married men, or to men having widowed mothers with families. The men took hold of the work with surprising earnestness, and although many of them had never before seen a plow, they were apt pupils and soon became advanced in agriculture.

The men aided by the Pingree plan at Steinway are far above the average, and would scorn to beg for anything but work. Nearly all the families are such as are commonly called poor but proud. They would starve rather than beg for food, but when the men heard of the freee farm they promptly went to the secretary and made known their needs. There were many applicants whose circumstances were most deplorable, but the most desperate case was that of a man who one day entered the office and told how his wife and three children were starving. He wanted no assistance, only work. The man's manner impressed the secretary, who sent him over to Steinway. Later it was learned that he walked all the way from the city to the free farm the next day, worked to the plow until late in the afternoon, when he fell fainting in the furrows from weakness, for he had been two days without food. When this part of his history had been learned, he was promptly supplied with food and money, and the other men working in the plots about him took turns at helping him until his bit of land was plowed. Today he and his family are in no danger of want.

It took the men about twelve days each to plow, harrow, plant and fertilize the land. Each quarter acre, it is estimated, will produce fifty bushels of potatoes, worth an average of 60 cents, making a return for the work expended on each tract of from $75 to $100. After the planting was done, the farmers had little to do but to go over the ground and weed it out.

A few drones crept in among the busy bees, but they were soon driven away. Most of the men seemed to appreciate the chance presented to them and acted as if they were very grateful, but a very few put on a sulky air and indicated that a farmer ought to be provided to do the work for them.

There are now on the books applications from twice as many persons as have been given allotments, but the season is too far advanced to break any more soil this year. Next year enough land will be given out to support at least 1,000 families. So far, contributors have not been so liberal as it was hoped they would, but it is expected that there will be funds on hand the coming season to allow the experiment to be carried out on a more extensive scale than at any other city in the country, not excepting Detroit. The treasurer of the free farm movement is Jacob H. Schiff, of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., bankers, who was in Seattle a short time ago with James J. Hill, president of the Great Northern.

With few exceptions the desirable farmers hase stuck to their farms, and those who have given up their allotments have succeeded in getting steady and better positions elsewhere. All that is insisted on at the secretary's office is that the applicant is worthy of assistance, as it is proposed not to help those who will not, and never have made an effort to help themselves.

EPISCOPALIANS IN SESSION.

Woman's Auxiliary Meets Today—Annual Convocation Tomorrow.

The annual convocation of the Episcopal church for the jurisdiction of Olympia will be held tomorrow in this city. A large attendance is expected, and among those who will be present will be Bishop Barker, Rev. C. S. Williams, of Vancouver; Rev. Mr. Barr, Rev. Mr. Cheal, Dr. Babblit, Dr. Jefferis and Rev. Mr. Buzzelle, all of Tacoma; Rev. Mr. Wheeler, of Chehalis; Rev. Mr. Applegate and Rev. Mr. Mooney, of Gray's harbor; Rev. Mr. Jukes, of Whatcom; Dr. Nevius, of Blaine. Bishop Barker will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Leary.

At 7 o'clock Thursday morning in Trinity church Holy Communion will be held, with Bishop Barker as celebrant. At 9 o'clock will be the morning prayer, and at 10 the Holy Eucharist. At 11 o'clock at the parish house, on Cherry street between Seventh and Eighth, Bishop Barker will deliver his annual address, reviewing the work of the last year for the entire jurisdiction and making recommendations for the coming year. Lunch will be served at Trinity rectory at noon, and at 2 p. m. the business session for the appointment of committees and other details will be held in the parish house.

Today the Woman's Auxiliary, the general missionary body of the church, will meet at St. Mark's, and will be called to order by Mrs. Leary, president, at 11 o'clock a. m. The address of welcome will be delivered by Dr. Garrett, of this city, and addresses will also be delivered by Bishop Barker and Rev. Mr. Applegate. The business meeting will be held in the afternoon, and in addition to the annual election there will be submittted for adoption a revised constitution.

Delegates will be in attendance from Kent, Mount Vernon, Hamilton, Burlington, Tacoma and other parishes. Some of the delegates have already arrived and the remainder will arrive this morning. There will be a large number from Tacoma. Among the visitors will be Mrs. Belle Sellwood and Mrs. Hill, of Portland, who reached this city yesterday and are at the Butler.

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Herr August Aamold, the talented violin virtuoso, of international fame, will appear in Seattle on Friday evening next, June 28, at Y. M. C. A. hall. All lovers of music will embrace this opportunity of seeing and hearing this gifted man, who is everywhere received with marked tokens of appreciation. His performances appeal to all classes, for it does not require a musician to recognize the high merits of Aamold's playing—he is, in his interpretation of the world's masters, so closely in touch with their thought and feeling and so simple and unaffected in his utterances.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Transactions Since January 1 and for Yesterday.

Real estate transactions since January 1, 1895, are $2,092,476.43. There were filed for record yesterday 28 deeds, the considerations aggregating $14,162. Following is the list as furnished by the Daily Record, room 42 Scheuerman block:

John G. Reese to W. E. Hagan, nw¼ ne¼ ne¼ and s½ ne¼ ne¼ and se¼ ne¼ and ne¼ se¼ sec 12, 22, 2, $1.

A. S. Hansard to J. Pick, lots 29, 30, block 24, Ross add, $100.

Peter O. England to Theo. England, sw¼ se¼ sec 28, 22, 5, $3,000.

Lydia E. and A. McLean to John Gordon, 1 acre in L. M. Collins donation claim, q. c., $25.

Henry S. Algar to Alice S. Hill, executrix, blocks 1, 3, 7, and lots 4 to 14, 18 to 25, block 5, Twenty-second street add, q. c., $1.

Henry S. Algar to N. B. McKee, lot 15, block 5, Twenty-second street add, $200.

Henry S. Algar to John J. Sturgus, trustee, lots 12, 13, block 3, and lot 15, block 4, Rainier add, q. c., $1.

Daniel Guimett to John W. Smith, lot 10, block 2, plat of Kent, $125.

B. J. Jacobs to George W. Waterman, tract in se corner se¼ nw¼ section 29, 23, 3, $250

Sumner W. Jacobs to Mark P. Waterman, 8 acres in se¼ sw¼ sec 32, 23, 3, $750.

Frank W. Corsuch to Ludvig, August and Helmer Steen and Anton Linnestad, 20 acres in nw¼ sec 29, 23, 3, $1,200.

Ludvig, August and Helmer Steen to Anton Linnestad, 5 acres in nw¼ nw¼ sec 29, 23, 3, $1.

Ludvig and August Steen and Anton Linnestad to Helmer and Selma Steen, 5 acres in nw¼ sec 29, 23, 3, $1.

Anton Linnetsad, Helmer and Ludvig Steen, to August and Olance Steen, 5 acres in nw¼ nw¼ sec 29, 23, 3, $1.

Anton Linnestad, Helmer and August Steen to Ludvig and Mary Steen, 5 acres in nw¼ nw¼ sec 29, 23, 3, $1.

Clise Inv. Co. and Moore Inv. & Mortgage Co. to James A. Mitchell, lots 11, 12, block 33, Brooklyn add, $500.

G. M. Godfrey to A. M. Springer, lots 35, 36, block 13, South Park, $150.

Albert H. Kellogg to Alice S., John D., Marie C., Anna B. and Chester R. Kellogg, lot 8, block 52, A. A. Denny's add, q. c., $1.

A. M. Springer to G. M. Godfrey, lot 21, block 20, Brooklyn add, $300.

C. A. Pickarts to D. A. Mitchell, lot 10 (5 acres) Lake Dell, $2,000.

Henry S. Algar to Alice M. Sickles, lots 15, 16, 17, block 5, Twenty-second street add, $1.

E. Steinbrick to R. L. Litrey, lots 3, 4, block 20, Law's 2d add, q. c., $1.

Ovid A. Byers to same, q. c. to same property, $1.

Samuel P. Short to Josephine Short, lots 19, 20, Bronson's add Kirkland, $350.

M. L. Moffatt to Thomas Donnelly, lots 8, 9, block 6, and lot 4, block 14, in replat of blocks 1, 2, 6, 7, 13, 14 and 23, North Seattle, $3,000.

West Coast Imp. Co. to Mrs. Margaret DeDuguish, lots 6, 19, block 118, Gilman Park, $300.

Max Clericus to Rudolph Lange, e½ lot 13, V. Hugo Smith's five acre tracts, $1.

Mary A. Dougan to Marietta E. Walthew, blocks 53, 54, and lots 3 to 10, block 38; lots 9, 10, block 37, Burns & Atkinson's add, $2,000.

HUNTING CARIBOU ON YUKON.

Chris Henne, of Los Angeles, After Big Game in Alaska.

Chris Henne, of Los Angeles, who has traversed mountains, valleys, passes and jungles in almost every country on the globe, is now in search of the mighty herds of caribou and moose in the ranges adjoining the Yukon river and its tributaries in Alaska.

The Juneau Mining Record notes his arrival at that place, and says he left for the Takou at noon June 10, accompanied by Jimmie Jackson as guide and two Indian packers as assistants. Their route will be up the Takou, thence over the divide to Lake Teslin, at which point the first halt will be made.

In his outfit Mr. Henne carries a 14-foot Acme canvas canoe, which weighs but 65 pounds and is guaranteed to carry 500 pounds with perfect safety. From the time the lake is reached this canoe will be used alone in which to make the trip down the river. Among the several rifles taken along was a Sharp's express 50-110, which has quite a history, having been used on tigers in India and elephants in Africa. It is a murderous looking weapon weighing fifteen pounds and having a barrel thirty-two inches long.

Mr. Henne is an enthusiastic sportsman and will penetrate the interior ranges as far as he possibly can. He and his guide will reach Forty Mile in time to take the steamer down the river connecting with the last boat to leave St. Michaels, and it is his intention to bring out, take to San Francisco and have mounted the heads of any game he may be so fortunate as to secure.

The Healys in Alaska.

Thomas Healy, a brother of Capt. J. J. Healy, arrived in Juneau early in the month, direct from South Africa. After spending a few hours there he took the boat for Dyea, on his way to Forty Mile. He was accompanied by Mrs. J. J. Healy, who will join her husband at the latter place, the captain having gone in by St. Michaels, on the Excelsior, which is taking Capt. Constantine's mounted police to their station on the Yukon in British America just beyond the eastern boundary.

A MOST PECULIAR BURGLAR.

He Carefully Selects His Plunder and Leaves All Doors Open.

Seattle has the greatest freak of a burglar ever known. Whoever he is, or wherever he lives, he keeps his business to himself and boards with his victims. He does not operate like a common every day burglar. He goes through a house, and if his desires are not satisfied, he simply goes away leaving every door wide open. In the latter proceeding there is method, for without doubt after what is known of his operations at Fremont, he opens the doors before commencing operations, in order to have avenues of escape.

The latest doings of this eccentric thief came to light last evening when it was learned that he had visited the homes of City Treasurer J. M. E. Atkinson, at 1536 Renton avenue, and T. J. Hamilton, a few doors away.

He did not take anything from the city treasurer's office, but ransacked the house from top to bottom, opened drawers, displaced things all over the house, and then went away without awakening a soul. The doors were all left wide open, and the parlor window showed how he had effected an entrance.

At Mr. Hamilton's house the thief followed a similar course, only he went a little further. He invaded the room where Arthur Hamilton was asleep, and without disturbing him picked up all his clothes and carried them into the hall. At this point Mrs. Hamilton was awakened, and told her husband some one was in the house. Mr. Hamilton got out of bed and the burglar fled. Nothing was taken from young Hamilton's clothes.

Missionary Meeting at St. Mark's.

The annual meeting of the woman's auxiliary to the Episcopal jurisdiction of Olympia will be held at St. Mark's church today, with full choral services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Bishop Barker will make an address at 11 o'clock, and at night there will be an interesting missionary meeting, with several speeches. The women of St. Mark's will serve luncheon to all friends present as well as delegates. At 2 p. m. the business meeting of the women will be held. A cordial invitation is given the public to attend the services and meetings.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

GRAND CELEBRATION

Programme for the Fourth of July Taking Shape.

SPORTS ON LAND AND WATER.

Funds Still Coming in and List of Prizes Adopted—Parade and Patriotic Exercises.

The report of the various sub-committees of the general committee for the Fourth of July celebration were read last night in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce and were gratifying to all who wish to see the Fourth celebrated in a way surpassing anything heretofore seen in the Northwest.

Every one present had some good news to report, and it soon was manifest that enthusiasm was epidemic. Over $3,000 is already collected and more is coming in. A large majority of the organizations of all kinds in the city have consented to appear in the parade, and forty floats are already building, thereby guaranteeing a wonderfully representative spectacle. All the yachts and nearly all the steamers that are to be in the harbor at that time will take part in the naval parade. The crack military companies not only of Seattle, but of other cities on the Sound, will be on hand for the sham battle. The mayors and councils of the cities to which the invitation committee has written have responded most cordially, promising to be on hand, and to leave nobody behind. In short, every one that knows how to do anything is striving to be in Seattle on the Fourth and the indications are that every body will succeed.

The day will begin with a grand concert in Pioneer place at 9 a. m. by the First Regiment, the Langer & Lueben and the Vancouver bands. At 10 o'clock will be the parade, and at 11:30 the exercises in the university grounds, consisting of an address by Gov. McGraw, a prayer by the clergy, singing by a mixed glee club of sixty voices, music by the bands, a poem by Will H. Thompson, the reading of the Declaration of Independence, two pieces of music which were sung at the peace jubilee in Boston, an oration by a citizen of St. Louis, singing of "America" by the entire concourse of the people, and the benediction. At 4 o'clock there will be a competitive drill of local companies in Pioneer place; first prize, $150; second, $100. At 9 p. m. the naval parade will begin. Besides these affairs there will be a yacht race at 11 o'clock in the morning for a prize of $150, a fireboat drill at 12 m., and a formal beginning of the work of digging the south canal, in which the mayor, the city council and the mammoth dredger will participate. At 7 p. m. the First Regiment band will play in Pioneer place, and at 7:30 the other bands will play opposite the Post-Intelligencer office on Cherry street. A baseball game will be played at Madison park at 3 p. m., probably between Tacoma and Seattle.

Programme of Sports.

The following is the programme of sports:

On the harbor—Indian canoe races; war canoes, eleven men each, first prize $35, second $20, third $10.

Squaw race, first prize $25, second $15, third $5.

Double paddle race, first prize $10, second $7.50, third $5.

Merchantmen's yawl boat race, first prize $25, second $15, third $10.

Fisherman's boat race, first prize $25, second $10.

Pioneer place—Tug of war between the longshoremen's and the sailors' unions, prize $50.

Greased pig race, prize $5. Climbing greased pole, three prizes of $5 each.

Sack race, first prize $5, second $3, third $2.

Three-legged race, prizes $5, $3 and $2.

Pie-eating contest, prizes $3.50, $2.50 and $1.50.

Tug of war between newsboys and bootblacks for $15.

On Lake Washington, opposite park—Single scull race, prize $12.50; double scull, prize $12.50; fouroared handicap, prize $10; canoe paddling race, prize $10; tub race, prize $7, second $3; swimming race, prize $7, second $3; launch race, prize $10; walking greased pole, two prizes of $5 each; log-rolling, prize $10.

Newsboys Will Parade.

The Newsboys' Union, at a meeting last evening in the Western Central Labor Union hall, decided to take part in the parade. There will be about fifty boys in line, adorned with blue badges with gilt letters, the leaders being dressed in bloomers..

A committee consisting of Henry Collins, William O'Brien and George Harrison, was appointed to see about the placing of the newsboys in the parade and races. President Harrison, Vice President Eick, Secretary Higginbotham and Michael Brennan were appointed a committee to attend to the decorations. A $40 banner is expectedf rom St. Paul in time for the parade. W. B. Goodwin addressed the meeting about taking part in the parade. President Harrison fined one boy for throwing water, another for speaking without permission and a third for trying to adjourn the meeting. A new by-law was adopted to the effect that any boy caught or found guilty of stealing anything from newspaper offices shall be fined $1 for the first offense and for the second expelled from the union. The new seal of the union was received.

The Fourth at Port Angeles.

Port Angeles, June 25.—Special.—Preparations for a grand Fourth of July celebration in this city are being made, and various committees are now at work collecting funds and preparing an interesting programme for the day. The steamer Islander will make several trips from Victoria to this city, and will bring over the Victoria hose team and undoubtedly a large crowd of visitors.

Several members of the Port Angeles Yacht Club left today in the yacht Paloma for Victoria, and expect to make arrangements for a regatta to be sailed here on the Fourth, the Board of Trade of this city having offered a handsome silver cup as a prize for the winning yacht.

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