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ON THE UPGRADE.

When the public expresses its indignation at the commission of a crime, the accused need not appropriate to himself all the sentiments expressed. In the case of a series of crimes or supposed crimes which are charged to a certain set of men, it is not necessarily true that those men are regarded with hatred or malice by the law-abiding accusers. It is usually true, however, that their offenses are regarded as despicable, and that the circumstances which permit and the conditions which foster such infractions of the law are thoroughly deprecated by all good citizens.

Such has been the motive which has actuated those who have desired and witnessed the conviction of Patrick J. Lynch for the crime of shanghaing, technically called kidnaping. The events of the past years since Lynch became a character of note may or may not have made for him enemies, but the crimes which have been laid at his door, one at least of which has been fairly proven against him, have become a blot upon the name of the city in which he has lived and the noble river upon which he has operated. Fair-minded citizens cry out for justice and the discontinuance of such abhorrent practices. In times past public sentiment has not always been fully awake on moral subjects to secure such a conviction.

The correction of such abuses rest very largely with the people, and depends upon their willingness to support the officers of the law in apprehending and convicting offenders, where there is a strong sentiment in favor of the guilty. No more fearless and able men hold offices anywhere than those who are charged with the execution of the laws in Astoria. Sheriff Liville is a man who knows no fear, who never makes a failure, and who has achieved a wide reputation among law-breakers as a good man to steer clear of. The same may be said of District Attorney Allen, who has shown a moral stamina and an intelligent energy in the bold and fearless discharge of his duties, which has marked him as the right man in the right place.

With city and county officers all that

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can be desired. It is principally due to the citizens who shirk jury duty, who themselves engage in shady practices, and who think more of a dollar—honest or otherwise—than they do of the reputation of their city or the morals of their children. If the laws are not observed to the letter.

Today is a legal holiday in Texas to commemorate the battle of San Jacinto, in 1836, when Governor Sam Houston, at the head of 800 men, defeated the Mexican army, took Santa Anna prisoner and secured the independence of the Republic of Texas. It is the anniversary of the birth of Frederick Froebel, the German teacher, who founded the system known as the "kindergarten," or the children's garden method of teaching. Also the birthday in 1810 of George P. Gordon, the American printing press inventor; of Henry W. Shaw (Josh Billings) in 1818; of John Muir, the naturalist and author, in 1838; on this day, too, in 1888, President McKinley issued a proclamation declaring war against Spain.

"Dog eat dog" seems to be the rule of the Balkans. The atrocities of the "unspeakable Turk" are known of all men, but the Bulgarians and Albanians are apparently not better. Murder, pillage, incendiarism and indescribable outrages on women and children are practiced impartially whenever the opportunity offers, as the latest story of the destruction of a Mussulman village by Bulgarians, accompanied by frightful atrocities, unhappily attests. "Man's inhumanity to man" apparently continues ever.

"Jersey justice" is once more vindicated. Furthermore, the fact is exemplified that is no respecter of persons, in a most emphatic way, for a high officer of the law has been made to feel the weight of the law. Thomas McCarter, the attorney-general of the state, has just been compelled to pay a fine of \$7.50 for speeding his automobile faster than the law allows.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

TO ALL PERSONS IN CLATSOP COUNTY.

You are hereby notified that under the law all cases of infectious diseases must be immediately reported to me. All births, deaths and burials must also be reported. That in case of quarantines being declared of any person or place, it is hereby made the duty of the Sheriff, all Constables and other officers of the county to see that same is enforced. A violation will subject the person or persons to arrest and fine. This order does not include the city of Astoria, as same is subject to orders of its officers.

C. J. TRENCHARD, County Judge and County Health Officer.

Bridge Proposals

Notice is hereby given that plans, specifications, strain diagrams and bids will be received by the county court of Clatsop county, state of Oregon, until 5 p. m., Tuesday, May 5th, 1903, for the building, construction and erection of a drawbridge across the Lewis and Clark river in Clatsop county, Oregon, according to such plans, specifications and diagrams.

Location of bridge is shown on maps now on file in the county clerk's office as approved by the Hon. Secretary of war.

Bridge to be a steel swinging draw bridge with a clear space of 70 feet on each side of the draw rest. As is also directed by the Hon. secretary of war.

Approaches to be pile trestle with a 16 foot clear road or driveway. Bidders shall attach to their bid a certified check equal to 10 percent of the same and check made payable to the order of the county clerk or may deposit the amount in cash at time of filing his or their bid.

Said check or cash to be forfeited to the county of Clatsop, state of Oregon, if after an award is made or bid is accepted said bidder fails or refuses for a period of two days to enter into contract and file a bond as may be required by the county court aforesaid.

Payments for said bridge to be made by warrants drawn on a special fund created by the county court of Clatsop county, Oregon, at their regular term in January, 1903, same being a levy of 1-1/2 mills on the dollar for a term of four years. Bids to be sealed and marked "Proposals for Draw Bridge across the Lewis and Clark River," and filed in the office of the county clerk.

The county court, however, reserves the right to reject any or all bids. By order of the County Court. J. C. Clinton, Clerk.

Itching piles? Never mind if physicians have failed to cure you. Try Doan's Ointment. No failure there. 50c per bottle. For sale by Charles Rogers, druggist.

PERSONAL MENTION

Leon Dow was in yesterday from Prospect Park.

Herman Wise returned last night from Portland.

Ardie Strom was in Astoria from Svensen yesterday.

Editor Hibbert of the Chinook Observer is in Astoria.

Doctor Miller, post surgeon at Fort Canby, is in the city.

A. W. Utanger came up from Hammond and secured the independence of the Republic of Texas. It is the anniversary of the birth of Frederick Froebel, the German teacher, who founded the system known as the "kindergarten," or the children's garden method of teaching. Also the birthday in 1810 of George P. Gordon, the American printing press inventor; of Henry W. Shaw (Josh Billings) in 1818; of John Muir, the naturalist and author, in 1838; on this day, too, in 1888, President McKinley issued a proclamation declaring war against Spain.

Lewis Wilson was in from the Lewis and Clark on business yesterday.

Lexon Anderson and daughter, Selma, were in town shopping yesterday.

Victor ost was admitted to full citizenship in the county court yesterday.

E. J. Rogers, with Blake, McFall & Co., Portland, did the town yesterday.

Miss June Stanley of Seaside is in the city visiting with her sister, Mrs. George Goodell.

C. Hays, a former smelt dealer is in the city. He is associated with the Cloppick Fishing company.

Hon. Abe Cohn came up from Tillamook on the Sue H. Elmore and went to Portland last evening.

Miss Mabel Stead, who has been visiting here for the past two days, returned last evening to her Seaside home.

Miss Marie Mickel of Mount Angel, daughter of a prominent hog grower in that vicinity, is visiting Miss Relta Marlon.

District Attorney Harrison Allen left for Oregon City last night to attend court. Mrs. Allen accompanies her husband.

Mrs. D. K. Warren came over from Warrenton yesterday to be with her husband, whose illness is still quite serious.

Lee M. Clark, lieutenant battery A, Oregon National guards, visited in Astoria Sunday after spending a few days at Seaside.

J. N. Heckard returned Sunday night from a visit to Portland. Yesterday he went out to his home at Chadwell.

Miss Agnes McEwing, who teaches a school on the Nasel river in Pacific county, has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. A. Montgomery, for a few days.

Lint Spurr came over from Fort Canby yesterday on the Nacotta and took the train for Fort Stevens, when he will assist in the courtmartial now being held.

Route Agent Lobner, of the Wells, Fargo & Co., arrived up from Tillamook on the steamer Sue H. Elmore after opening an office at that city. The agent is B. C. Lamb.

Captain Sam Randall came down from the sound yesterday to meet his wife and son, who arrived up on the Elder, after a six months' visit in California. They will leave today for Seattle, where the captain has charge of the tug Raboni.

Chas. Ford, a resident of Hammond, was quite badly injured yesterday by the sudden flaming up of a defective gasoline stove. Mr. Ford was engaged in putting an inside coat of water-proof paint on a tank recently built for McIntire & Son, the grocery firm, when the accident occurred. The flames burned the unfortunate man about the face and hands very badly. He got out of the tank and rolled down an adjoining shed roof in a hurry and thereby reached the ground. The life saving crew was summoned and the flames were soon extinguished, little damage being done.

A TEMPERANCE LECTURE.

W. A. Crane, the temperance lecturer-drummer, who has been in the city for the past two or three weeks, delivered a lecture on behalf of the W. C. T. U. last evening under the auspices of the Astoria Literary and Debating society. There was a large attendance and marked interest was evinced in the remarks of the speaker. When an invitation for signers of the pledge was issued a score of young men and a few young ladies responded. A vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Crane by the society at the conclusion of his address. The young man is quite enthusiastic in his chosen mission and is a marked benefit to any community he visits.

A GOOD CANAL TITLE.

The announcement that the title which the Panama Canal Company can transfer to the United States is satisfactory, advances the canal-building project materially. It was feared that a satisfactory title could not be obtained. In medicine, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters has a clear title to first place among family remedies, having an unbroken record of cures, extending over half a century, back of it. No home is therefore complete without a bottle of it in the medicine chest. It will restore the appetite, positively cure dizziness, flatulency, nausea, headache, indigestion, dyspepsia, and constipation; also prevents la grippe, chills and malaria, fever and ague. A fair trial will convince you of its value. The genuine has our Private Stamp over the neck of the bottle.

SSS THE BEST TONIC advertisement with logo and text: 'In S. S. S. Nature has provided a tonic suited to every requirement of the system when in a debilitated, run down condition. It contains no strong minerals of drugs, but is a pleasant vegetable preparation. You can find no better remedy for toning up the nerves and bringing refreshing, restful sleep when in a low state of health, or sick and worn out with work or worry.'

I have no hesitancy in recommending your S. S. S. as the best Spring tonic on the market. I have used many other medicines, but find S. S. S. to be undoubtedly the only tonic that will build up the system. I shall take pleasure in telling all whom I think in need of a good blood tonic of your medicine. Yours truly, LEWIS S. FIEBER, Care Stoll, Hamilton & Co., Lexington, Ky.

S. S. S. improves the appetite, aids the digestion and reinforces the system, and its good effects are seen almost from the first dose. It acts promptly in cases of chronic dyspepsia, indigestion and all stomach troubles, and does away with the uncomfortable fullness, nausea, shortness of breath, drowsiness and dizziness that so often come after eating. S. S. S. is not only the best tonic but possesses alterative or purifying properties, and if there is any taint, humor or poison in the blood it searches it out, and removes it. Many times a low state of health is due to a bad condition of the blood and can only be remedied by a blood purifier and tonic combined, or such a remedy as S. S. S.

If you suffer from debility, insomnia, nervousness, loss of appetite, bad digestion, or any of the symptoms of a disordered blood, nothing will so soon put your blood in the good condition, invigorate and tone up the system as S. S. S.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF Astoria National Bank

at Astoria in the State of Oregon, at the close of business April 9, 1903.

RESOURCES.

Table with 2 columns: Resource Name and Amount. Includes Loans and discounts, Overdrafts, U. S. Bonds, Premiums on U. S. Bonds, Stocks, securities, etc., Banking house, furniture and fixtures, Other real estate owned, Due from National Banks, Bankers, Due from approved reserve agents, Internal-Revenue Stamps, Checks and other cash items, Notes of other National Banks, Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents, Lawful money reserve in bank, Specie, Legal tender notes, Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation), Total.

LIABILITIES.

Table with 2 columns: Liability Name and Amount. Includes Capital stock paid in, Surplus fund, Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid, National Bank notes outstanding, Individual deposits subject to check, Demand certificates of deposit, Time certificates of deposit, Total.

Teachers' Institute

The annual Clatsop county teachers' institute will be held May 6, 7, and 8 at Astoria. The day sessions in the high school building, evening sessions at the Methodist church. All teachers of this county will be in attendance promptly. The public cordially invited to attend day and evening meetings. H. S. Lyman, School Supt.

Hats Trimmed Free

Mrs. Ingletton has just opened a fine line of spring hats and flowers, with waists, white skirts and muslin underwear. Pompadours and hair switches, and all kinds of ladies and children's furnishing goods at sale prices. Welch block, Astoria, Ore.

Cheap Fuel.

Fir slabwood, stove lengths, \$2.50 per cord. Boxwood \$1.50 per large load. Phone 2211 Black. Kelly, the transfer man.

FISHERS' OPERA HOUSE

L. E. SELIG, Lessee and Manager.

THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 1903

An event of much importance! The great Tolstol play.

RESURRECTION

Now playing to crowded houses in New York, London, Paris and Berlin. Exciting the curiosity of the entire world.

Management of AIDEN BENEDICT. Produced with special scenery for every act and a cast of extraordinary merit.

Prices—Reserved seats, \$1; gallery, 50c. Advance sale of seats opens Wednesday morning at Griffin's book store.

HEDGES & GALLOWAY

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Land Office Business a Specialty. Rooms 1 and 2, Weinhard Bldg

P. A. TRULLINGER

515 Commercial Street

Phone 351 and 2871—Two Stores

Office of C. Q. M., Vancouver Barracks, Wash., April 16, 1903. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received here until 11 o'clock A. M., May 5, 1903, for erecting and painting one 75-foot iron flagstaff at Fort Columbia, Wash. Information furnished here, U. S. reserves the right to reject or accept any or all proposals. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked: "Proposals for erecting and painting flagstaff at Fort Columbia, Wash." addressed F. H. Hathaway, C. Q. M.

C. W. Barr--Dentist advertisement: 575 Commercial street, Astoria, Ore. Telephone RED 2061.

Dr. Nellie Smith Vernon advertisement: PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office Over Griffin's Book Store.

OSTEOPATHY DR. RHODA C. HICKS advertisement: Mansell Bldg. 573 Commercial St. Phone Black 2065 Astoria Ore.

Dr. T. L. Ball advertisement: DENTIST. 534 Commercial street, Astoria Ore.

Columbia OYSTER HOUSE advertisement: Is Now Handling the Celebrated Eastern Oysters

For Wholesale and Retail Trade. Also Shoalwater Bay Oysters. FRESH EVERY DAY. 105-107 TWELFTH STREET.

Nick Kazeppi, Prop. advertisement: Andrew Asp, Wagon Maker, Blacksmith and Horseshoer. FIRST-CLASS WORK AT REASONABLE PRICES.

Special Attention Given to Ship and Steamboat Repairing, General Blacksmithing, First-Class Horse-Shoeing, etc. CORNER TWELFTH AND DUANE

PRAEL & COOK advertisement: TRANSFER COMPANY. Telephone 321. DRYING AND EXPRESSING

All goods shipped to our care Will receive special attention. No 533 Duane St. W. J. COOK, Mgr.

RELIANCE Electrical Works advertisement: 421 BOND ST. We are thoroughly prepared for making estimates and executing orders for all kinds of electrical

Installing and Repairing. Supplies in stock. We sell the celebrated SHELBY LAMP. Call up Phone 1161.

H. W. CYRUS, - Mgr advertisement: Bodily pain loses its terror if you've a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house. Instant relief in cases of burns, cuts, sprains, accidents of any sort. For sale by Chas. Rogers druggist.

Central Meat Market advertisement: 642 COMMERCIAL ST. Your orders for meats, both FRESH AND SALT. Will be promptly and satisfactorily attended to. J. W. MORTON, Prop. Telephone No. 321.

C. J. Trenchard advertisement: Insurance, Commission and Shipping. Agent Wells, Fargo and Pacific Express Companies. Customs House Broker.

ASTORIA AND COLUMBIA RIVER RAILROAD. LEAVE PORTLAND ARRIVE

Table with 3 columns: Time, Location, and Arrival/Departure. Includes routes to Astoria and Portland.

SEASIDE DIVISION. *Sunday only. All trains make close connections at Goble with all Northern Pacific trains to and from the East and Sound points. Gen'l Freight and Pass. Agent

REDUCED RATES FROM THE EAST. Commencing February 15th and continuing until April 30, there will be low rates in effect from the east via the Illinois Central R. R. to all Oregon, Washington and Idaho points.

IF SAVED HIS LEG. P. A. Danforth of LaGrange, Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg; but writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in five days. For ulcers, wounds, piles, it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25 cents. Sold by Charles Rogers, druggist.

A FINE LIBRARY. Of 140 volumes is found on each of the Northern Pacific's "North Coast Limited" trains. Don't forget that these are the only trains operated in the West that are lighted throughout by electricity.

The little folks love Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Pleasant to take perfectly harmless; positive cure for coughs, colds, bronchitis, asthma. For sale by Chas. Rogers, druggist.

LET THEM TELL IT. The Public Utterances of Astoria Citizens Are What Count. Publicity is What the People Want.

Let them tell it. Let the public speak on the subject. It means better understanding. Means less misery in Astoria. Means confidence in a good thing. Easier to believe your neighbor than strangers in a far away town.

Kidney disorders—urinary disorders—Are on the decrease here. Doan's kidney pills are relieving backache and curing citizens. It is their daily work. Here's a case in point: George Rutter who is employed with the Oregon Railroad and Navigation company, and resides at 291 Second street, Portland, says: "I had more or less trouble with my kidneys for a year or more. My back bothered me with sore irritating pain. Doan's Kidney Pills were recommended to me and I got a box. I commenced to use them as directed and to my surprise when I had taken about half the box the pain left my back. Every kidney sufferer should know about Doan's kidney pills."

Plenty more proof like this in Astoria people. Call at the drug store of Chas. Rogers and ask what his customers report. For sale by all dealers. Price 50c a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Proposals for beef and mutton: Office Chief Commissary, Vancouver Barracks, Wash., April 9, 1903. Sealed proposals for furnishing and delivering fresh beef and mutton for six months beginning July 1, 1903 will be received here and at offices of commissaries at Fort Stevens, Oregon; Boise Barracks, Idaho; Forts Casey, Canby, Flieger, Walla Walla, Wright, Worden, Lawton and Vancouver Barracks, Wash., until 11 a. m. May 9, 1903, and then opened. Information furnished on application. Envelopes containing proposals should be endorsed "Proposals for Fresh Beef and Mutton," and addressed to commissary of post to be supplied, or to Col. F. E. Nye, chief clerk.

TRAGEDY AVERTED. "Just in the nick of time our little boy was saved," writes Mrs. W. Watkins of Pleasant City, O. "Pneumonia had played and havoc with him and a terrible cough set in besides. Doctors treated him, but he grew worse every day. At length we tried Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption and our darling was saved. He's now sound and well." Everybody ought to know, it's the only cure for coughs, colds and lung diseases. Guaranteed by Charles Rogers, druggist. Price 50c and \$1. Trial bottles free.

Office of C. Q. M., Vancouver Barracks, Wash., March 25, 1903. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received here until 11 o'clock, a. m., April 24, 1903, for furnishing fuel at military posts in this department for fiscal year commencing July 1, 1903. Information furnished here or by quartermasters at posts. United States reserves the right to reject or accept any or all proposals or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked: "Proposals for Fuel at—" addressed F. H. Hathaway, C. Q. M.

U. S. Engineer office, Portland, Ore., March 25, 1903. Sealed proposals will be received here for 475,000 tons, more or less, stone for extension of jetty at mouth of Columbia river, Ore., and Wash., until 11 a. m., April 30, 1903, and then publicly opened. Information on application. W. C. Langfitt, Capt. Engrs.

WORKING OVERTIME. Eight hour laws are ignored by those tireless little workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are always at work, night and day, curing indigestion, biliousness, constipation, sick headache and all stomach, liver and bowel troubles. Easy, pleasant, safe, sure. Only 25 cents at Charles Rogers' drug store.