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How Do I look.—To really see yourself as others see you, get one of those new style mirrors at Hart's Drug Store; all prices. A new supply just received.

I am positively going to retire from business and must sell out as soon as possible and from now on will give you still greater bargains at C. H. Cooper's great retiring sale.

Commercial Saloon—This popular place, situated at 509 Commercial street, is up-to-date in every particular. The choicest of wines and all kinds of liquors can be procured here. Best quality cigars. Billiard table in connection. If you can't come in person, call up Phone 1231 Main.

Street Completed—Dill & Young have completed their contract for the improvement of Commercial street between Ninth and Fourteenth and the committee on streets and public ways and superintendent of streets are expected to accept the improvement today. They will report to the common council at the regular meeting to be held next Monday night.

Do You feel sleepy and not a bit like working in the afternoon? Perhaps it's because of the kind of lunch you're eating—too heavy an dtog hard to digest. Why not try the Palace restaurant on Commercial street, where all the baking is done in those famous slow-process ovens, which turn out light appetizing, wholesome things? You'll save money, too.

Just Received—A large shipment of the very latest Columbia and Victor records. A. R. Cyrus, 424 Commercial St. 12-12-21

Fishing Season—The fishing season for steelheads will open at Gray's Harbor next Saturday. A number of Astoria fishermen will leave this morning for Aberdeen to engage in fishing.

Ladies—Embroidery Club, no charge for joining. Lessons free. See sample Christmas gifts, fancy underwear to order, shirt waists, fancy aprons, pillow tops, etc., in cypress and shadow work. Stamping. M. M. Keefer, Mergler House. 12-9-21

No Arrests—The police force had little business yesterday, no arrests being made, and all the boarders at the city jail have been discharged. Both Sheriff Pomeroy and Chief Gamal will soon advertise "rooms for rent" unless they can secure a few steady boarders in the regular way.

Want a Light—A petition was circulated yesterday and numerous signed by the residents in the vicinity of Seventeenth and Jerome streets, asking for an electric light in that vicinity. The petition will be presented to the common council next Monday night.

Licensed and Wedded—County Clerk J. C. Clinton yesterday issued a marriage license in favor of Mr. Walter O. Christianson, of Fort Columbia, Wash., and Miss Anna Cecelia Sabine of this city, and a few hours later the young people were made man and wife, in the parlors of the Main Street House, Justice P. J. Goodman officiating.

Not a Holiday—Yesterday was not a legal holiday so far as the public offices and courts were concerned, although a city election was held. No election day, either city, county, state or national is a legal holiday.

Examining Plans—M. Bingham, a prominent contractor of Portland, arrived in the city yesterday for the purpose of examining the plans for the proposed new court house. Several contractors will bid on the structure and the bids will be opened Saturday.

Has Been Discharged—Formal notice was received by County Clerk Clinton yesterday, from Superintendent Calbreath, of the Oregon Asylum for Insane, of the discharge from that institution on the 10th inst., of Mrs. Lina Johnson, committed from Clatsop county, in May, 1904.

Board of Equalization—The city board of equalization will meet this afternoon at the city hall for the purpose of equalizing the assessments on a number of streets. Interested parties objecting to the improvement of the streets will have an opportunity of declaring themselves at that time.

Working on Street—The force of men employed to make repairs to the street near the Tongue Point mill have quit work, as the ground caved in as fast as they could dig it out. A force of men will be put at work sluicing the street and removing sufficient dirt so that further troubles from slides will be stopped.

Fixing Up Quarters—The Alaska Fishermen's Packing Company is re-vamping its Bond street offices, painting, papering and tidying up generally. A commodious board-room has been added to the suite, and the concern and its friends and clientele, officers and clerks, will be much more comfortable in the future.

Now on Sale Here—The intensely interesting biographical-historical work of Dr. Owens-Adair of this city, entitled "Dr. Owens-Adair: Some of Her Reminiscences," is now on sale at Higgins & Company's book-store, and is certain to be immensely popular, as it deserves to be, since it is the best expression of its kind ever made in the state.

Trappers' Meeting—The adjourned meeting of the Columbia river trappers and sealers will be held tomorrow afternoon at the city hall, at which time the committee appointed at the meeting at Chinook Monday will submit their report; a constitution and by-laws will be adopted, and a permanent organization effected. It is expected that there will be a large delegation of trappers and sealers from Ilwaco, Chinook and up-river points, in addition to a large number from Astoria. The objects and purposes of the organization will be announced in the constitution to be adopted at the meeting.

Married Yesterday—One of the prettiest weddings of the season took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Butt, of Hustler and Alken's Addition, when their daughter, Edith, was united in marriage to Vernon D. Hackett, of Portland. The home was tastefully decorated in green and white, the ceremony being performed under a wedding bell of smilax. Only relatives and close friends of the couple witnessed the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. C. C. Rarick of the First Methodist church. The happy couple were the recipients of many valuable and useful presents. After a short wedding trip they will take up their residence in Portland.

Fine Showing Made—Secretary Richard Shore Smith, of the Twelfth Annual Regatta of Astoria, has practically closed the accounts of that fine festival and the totals do the officers in charge, and the citizens great credit. The working capital of the committee was, in round numbers, from all sources, including the use of the 1906 balance of \$572.47, just \$6,603.01, the balance arising from subscriptions, fees and concessions. Of this major sum there was disbursed \$5,505.65 in the interest and conduct of the Regatta; and there is yet to be collected \$50 from the committee in charge of the fish boat races and a small balance from Chairman Llewellyn of the Bench Show, in the neighborhood of ten dollars. The balance, cash on hand, beyond the uncollected sums, is \$1,097.56, a handsome and available nest-egg for other popular events. The showing is wholly creditable to the Regatta Committee and the news of the conclusion will be gladly received by the people who made it all possible.

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In Regular Session—The regular business meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held this afternoon at 2:30 in the basement of the Baptist church.

Will Go to Portland—W. E. Baker, who has been on the transportation department of S. Elmore & Company in this city for some months past, has accepted a position with W. G. Fuller & Company, of Portland, and will serve that firm on their Oak street dock. He has made many friends here during his brief stay in Astoria.

Doing Finely—Word has been received in this city from S. A. Young, son of Hon. Ben Young, indicating that he is leaving Butte for Arizona at the behest of his employers, as their special representative in the Southern mining fields of that concern, the Butte-Arizona Copper Company. He writes very cheerfully of his present relations and his future prospects.

Social Session—Nekankum lodge, Knights of Pythias, of Seaside, held their annual reunion and social session last evening. A large delegation from Astor lodge went down last evening among whom were Hon. Herman Wise, Geo. Noland and J. Bourne of Rainier. The evening's entertainment was interspersed with short addresses, musical selections and a sumptuous repast served by the members of Nekankum lodge. Nekankum lodge is growing in membership and is in a splendid condition financially.

"100 to 1 Shot"—The Waldorf is presenting this week another of its famous and interesting kinnetscope films, in which a splendid story of pluck and prowess is told very vividly and with, of course, perfect realism. The long and brilliant string of pictures tells the story of an old couple in an Eastern city, over-borne by poverty, on the verge of being cast from their humble home by a heartless landlord and his minions; the humble sacrifice of the aged mother in offering her old and worn bridal jewels in abatement of the indignity; the young son's swift solution of the predicament by taking the jewels to the pawnshop, gathering a few dollars upon them and then hazarding these at the races on a "100 to 1" shot, and winning. His return to the stricken home; the payment of the old debt; the purchase of the whole house and premises and his "free-for-all" deal with the minions of the police and the landlord. It is one of the best presentations made in this city in many a day.

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John West and wife to Crossett Timber Company, 160 acres in Section 28-7-6.....	500	J. T. Ross, et al, to The Nehalem Timber Company, land in Sections 10 and 15-5-8.....	1
Jean McMath et ux to Crossett Timber Co., 180 acres Section 27, 28, 33-7-6.....	2,000	Hermosa Park Inv. Company to H. McArthur et al, lots 8 and 9, block 8, Hermosa Park.....	550
Jas. Bryden and wife and John Stewart and wife, to M. & O. Land and Timber Company 40 acres Section 8-6-6.....	5		
J. C. Miller and wife to M. & O. Land and Timber Company, und. 1-3 interest in 40 acres Section 8-6-6.....	5		
United States to L. C. Wilhelm			

STAR THEATER.
 Another large house greeted the Empire Stock company at the Star last night.
 Tonight will be the first performance of Tennessee's Partner with a strong cast. This will be one of the best bills offered during the season and should be witnessed by a large house.
 The French bark Bougainville went to sea and Europe yesterday morning on the early flood.

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