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Application for Citizenship—

Harry Felix Wilson, a native of Ontario, Canada applied for citizenship, yesterday.

At the Hospital—

No new cases were received at St. Mary's Hospital, yesterday. H. Longtin having recovered from a recent operation, left for his home, yesterday.

In the Police Court—

One drunk was fined \$5 in the police court, yesterday, and three forfeitures amounting to \$15 were the result of yesterday's proceedings.

Leaves on Wednesday—

Lee Strans, was in the city yesterday. Mrs. Strans is getting along nicely and will leave for home, with Mr. Strans and the baby on Wednesday.

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Portland Architect in Town—

Emil Schacht, a prominent architect of Portland, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Schacht is the architect of the new hotel, being built for Theo. Kruse at Gearhart, and is drawing plans for several new cottages at Long Beach.

Fined For Larceny—

Ah Louie, arrested on a charge of larceny was fined the minimum in the justice court yesterday. The charge on which Ah Louie was arrested was for the larceny of lumber from a Smiths Point Mill and the fine was \$25.

Jury Disagrees—

The jury in the case of Robert Wilberg, charged with larceny, after being out all night, reported at 7 o'clock yesterday morning that they could not agree. The jury was then discharged. It is reported that they stood 7 to 5 for conviction.

Cases in the Circuit Court—

John Murback, charged with operating fish traps in closed season, will be called in the circuit court tomorrow afternoon, to answer on appeal from the justice court. The case of C. A. Brown charged with larceny of a boat and net, the property of the Warren Packing Company will be called on Tuesday.

Trouble Reaching Here—

Tim Corcoran is in from Nehalem. He came in on Friday and had quite a time getting here. Coming in with a load of potatoes he got stuck at a bad place in the road. Chas. Hutchins came along and helped him out. Tim and Hutchins then filled in the bad place with brush so that the stage, carrying the mail could get through.

Chief Foster an Inventor—

Chief Foster, of the fire department, is somewhat of an inventor himself. He has invented a new unhitche which has been introduced in the new engine house. In a drill yesterday the efficiency of the new contrivance was demonstrated. It is thought that eventually the whole department will be equipped with the Foster unhitche.

Cases Dismissed—

The charges against the men who created disorder on the steamer Telegraph, during regatta week, have been settled. The captain of the steamer agreed to a dismissal of the cases on the costs being taxed to the defendants. Yesterday J. Harrison Cox paid the costs in his case and his bonds were released. As soon as the other defendants, who are under bonds, pay costs, their cases will be dismissed.

The Right Spirit—

Clair Dawson, formerly with W. M. Parker in this city, came up last night from Astoria where he has been employed in the grocery store of the Tongue Point Lumber Company. He says that Astoria is a booming town now and as a result of its campaign in the eastern papers has received a large number of new residents. The Chamber of Commerce there is receiving hundreds of letters of inquiry daily as to the advantages at the "City-by-the-Sea."—Albany Herald.

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TO PROTECT RIVER FISHING

COMMITTEE TELLS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE IT IS HIGH TIME SOMETHING WAS DONE TOWARD DOING AWAY WITH TRAPS ABOVE TIDWATER.

A communication has been received by the Chamber of Commerce from the committee looking after the presenting of a measure in the next legislature to prohibit trap fishing above tide water on the Columbia River. The committee is composed of C. R. Higgins, A. Scherneckau and F. J. Carney.

The members of the committee state that they believe the time has come when efforts must be made to put a stop to the fishing above tide water if the propagation of salmon is to continue. They want a strong resolution endorsed by the Fishermen's Union and others to present to the legislature as preliminary measures for the passing of a bill to this effect.

"The hatcheries will never be able to supplant the number of fish taken from the river and destroyed by mechanical devices," reads the communication, "but with a law passed and enforced the question of getting a sufficient supply of salmon eggs for the hatcheries is nearer a solution. It is high time to take preliminary steps."

This question will be brought up at the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce on Monday night, and it is probable that resolutions will be passed asking the federal government to take over the fishing laws on the coast the same as the lighthouses and life saving service. It is believed that this is the only real solution of the question as to the propagation of the fish in the coast streams.

A Shipload Order—

A cargo was landed from the bark Le Pilien yesterday that means a great deal to Astoria Fisher Bros Company, of this city, had a cargo of cement consigned to them, and the unloading of this shipment attracted much attention. A shipload of cement is quite an order and when Mr. Ross, of the Fisher Bros. Company, was asked what was going to be done with the cement he laconically answered "Astoria will grow, we'll sell the cement." The cargo is being discharged at the foot of Seventh street, at the reinforced concrete warehouse of Fisher Bros. Co., and incidentally it was learned that a portion of it will be used in the foundation of the new Weinhard Hotel. Few firms in the village up the river can dispose of a shipload of cement, but Astoria has a firm that can do so.

Tug-o-War Contests—

Quite a good sized audience greeted the contestants in the tug-o-war contests, at Foad & Stokes' hall last night. A burlesque pull was put on in which juvenile teams were pitted against each other. The youngsters created some amusement, and after considerable tugging the prize was awarded to the team captained by Billy Duck. Two teams, the Uppertown and North Pacific Athletic Club pulled for the full limit and at the conclusion the Uppertown team was declared the winner by two inches. When the main event was called, it developed that the Greeks, who had agreed to pull against the Swedes, refused to enter and the contest was declared off. The evening's entertainment concluded with a social dance which was enjoyed by all.

Suit Entered—

Julius Wilberg, as agent for W. E. Ross, of Goldfield, Nev., yesterday brought suit, in the justice court, to recover furniture in a building on Eighth street between Bond and Commercial streets. The attachment papers were placed in the hands of the constable but, when he reached the place, he was informed by the occupant that he held a mortgage on the furniture, and would appear in court on Monday to defend same. Liverpool Jack did not take the furniture and the matter will probably be threshed out in the justice court tomorrow.

Petition Filed—

Peter Martinez filed a petition, with the city auditor, yesterday asking for permission, from the city council, to moor a house boat in the bay, at the foot of Thirty-fourth street. The matter will be brought before the council next Monday night.

New Books For Library—

At a meeting of the Public Library Board, yesterday, it was decided to appropriate \$100 for the immediate purchase of new books. The list of books purchased will be published on their arrival at the library.

Took the Pumpkin—

Hon. J. W. Lewis, accompanied by his wife, visited the Gray's River Fair Friday and to say he was pleased with what he saw is drawing it mild. "There was a fine display of farm products, plenty of entertainment and good things to eat and the prettiest girls I ever saw gathered together," said J. W., yesterday. Nis Nyman, of this city, took first prize, a 79-pound pumpkin for being the best looking man on the ground. This prize was not awarded until after Mayor Wise and Manager Whyte had gone home.

Funeral Today—

The funeral of Mrs. Annie Ness will take place this afternoon at 1:00, from her late residence, 1490 Franklin avenue. The interment will be at Greenwood cemetery.

No Court Yesterday—

There was no session of the circuit court yesterday. Judge McBride left yesterday morning for St. Helens and will return to open court tomorrow afternoon.

Dies at Tucson, Ariz.—

Martin S. Bottom died at Tucson, Ariz., on September 26th. He was 38 years of age and leaves a wife, mother and three brothers. Mr. Bottom was well known in Astoria.

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