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**YESTERDAY'S NOTES
ON THE DOCKS**

**FOUR-SHIP-FLEET ARRIVES
AT ONCE IN EUROPE FROM
COLUMBIA RIVER—MOVE-
MENTS OF THE COASTING
FLEET HERE YESTERDAY—
CAPT. WERLICH'S SUCCESSOR**

The following interesting facts are gleaned from the Portland Oregonian of yesterday:

"Four sailing vessels from Portland have been reported as arriving out. They are the German ships Marie Hackfeld and Gertrude, the French bark Eugene Schneider and the British bark Largo Bay. The vessels sailed from Portland within a week of each other and all arrived on the same day. The shortest passage was made in 133 days, by the French craft. The sailing of the German ships was a tie game. The Gertrude and the Marie Hackfeld crossed the bar on the same day (January 24) and one reported at Falmouth and one at Ipswich. Both carried cargoes of grain. The Marie Hackfeld carried a part cargo of barley and the Gertrude all wheat. Both vessels finished loading on the same day, cleared on the same day, sailed the same day and arrived out on the same date."

It is announced that Commander Charles F. Pond, at present in charge of the United States cruiser Buffalo, will probably be the successor of Commander P. J. Werlich, in charge of the Thirteenth Lighthouse District. While the information has not been conveyed in official orders, it is understood by Naval officers that such is the case. Official information on the subject will be issued

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shortly, as Commander Werlich is under orders to be ready to leave July 1.

The steamship Geo. W. Elder made an early entry into this port yesterday, with plenty of California passengers and a good line of freight, and left up almost immediately for Portland.

The steamer Johan Poulsen came in from San Francisco yesterday and went on to the metropolis where she will load out lumber for the return voyage.

The steamer Washington was one of yesterday's arrivals from San Francisco. She went on to Portland after discharging part cargo at the Callender dock.

The French bark Vendee, Captain Chisholm, from San Francisco, crossed in yesterday afternoon, and will leave up for Portland, on the hawsers of the Harvest Queen today.

The British steamship Inverkip, from San Francisco for Portland, to load wheat for Europe, arrived in last evening, and will go up stream this morning.

The Union Oil liner Argyle crossed in yesterday morning and after several hours' stay in this port distributing fuel oil, departed up the river with the balance of her big cargo.

The steamer Eureka arrived down from the metropolis and left out at once for the California port of that name.

The steamer Olsen-Mahoney was among the vessels to enter here yesterday, from California, and she will load lumber outward.

The steamer Jim Butler was among the arrivals in this harbor yesterday coming up from the Bay City.

The steamer Homer came down the river yesterday laden with general cargo for San Francisco, and left out.

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PERSONAL MENTION

George Dunsford, one of the best known business men of the Capital city and a member of the plumbing house of Bernardi & Dunsford, was in the city, yesterday, visiting his brother-in-law John Welch, of Hammond, and some Astoria friends who were glad to greet him. He went back on the evening express of yesterday.

W. E. Loucks, of the J. K. Armsby Company, of San Francisco, was a business visitor in Astoria yesterday.

J. J. Barker and family, of Warrenton, departed yesterday, for Portland, where they will reside in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Clark were passengers for Portland on the evening express yesterday, being called there by the sudden and serious illness of Mr. Clark's mother.

O. Mutschman of Portland was a visitor in Astoria yesterday, leaving on the evening train.

Thos. H. Allman of Cathlamet is in the city registered at the Occident.

Mrs. C. P. Black of Portland spent Tuesday in Astoria leaving on the evening train for Portland.

Miss Gladys Grumble, a resident of Spokane, is in the city a guest at the Occident.

C. M. Koenig of San Francisco spent yesterday in the city leaving on the night train for Portland.

M. G. Hall of Portland was an arrival on last night's train, and is registered at the Occident.

Thad A. Young of Portland is at the Occident.

John M. Dunn from Portland is stopping at the Occident.

John M. Crawford is down from Bellingham, Wash., on a business trip, and is stopping at the Occident.

F. L. Evans was among the arrivals on the train from Portland last night and is registered at the Hotel Occident.

Mrs. C. M. Burlingame, a resident of Eugene, who has been visiting in the city, the guest of her nephew, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Burlingame, left for her home Saturday.

Dr. Frank Vaughn left for Portland yesterday, as a delegate to the grand lodge of Masons that will hold a three-day session starting today in that city. Dr. Vaughn will also visit Pendleton, Ore., to be present at the marriage of his brother, Dr. Thomas Vaughn, to Miss Effie Smith, of Pendleton, which will take place on June 17.

DONE BY DEED

J. E. Wheeler and wife to the Jones Wheeler Co., 1143 acres, Clatsop Co.; \$10.

W. N. Jones and wife to the Jones Wheeler Co., 2024.72 acres, Clatsop county; \$10.

Same to same, sectional lands, Clatsop county; \$10.

Kruse Catering Co. to J. M. Mann, lot 27, block 3, Gearhart Park; \$125.

Northern Pacific Co. to J. J. Walter, 40 acres, section 29-4-10 W.; \$320.

Geo. Noland and wife to F. A. Ely, lot 11 of Logan's sub. block 1, Clatsop Grove; \$400.

Frank J. Taylor, trustee, to A. Sigurdson and wife, all frontage on lot 6 in block 20, Warrenton.

C. L. Gibson and wife to R. E. Bryan, 160 acres, sec. 8-6-9 W.; \$1500.

W. L. Gibson and wife to R. E. Bryan, NW. 1-4 sec. 10-6-9 W.; \$1600.

C. G. Johnson and wife to O. M. Johnson, 10 acres in James Brown D. L. C.; \$5.

Robert Whidby to Chas. V. Brown, lot 1, block 97, McClure's Astoria; \$100.

Mary E. McGuire to J. R. Mudge, lot 11, block 5, Grimes' Grove; \$1200.

NOTICE

Union Gas Engine Company.
Mr. C. H. Carlson has been appointed local agent for the Union Gas Engine Company for Astoria and Lower River territory with headquarters at Astoria. A full line of repair parts will be carried in stock at 591 Exchange street, Astoria, by Mr. Carlson, who is also equipped to do repair work on Union Engines at short notice in a first-class manner. **UNION GAS ENGINE COMPANY,**
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Portland, Oregon, June 1, 1908.

CASE DISMISSED

SAN FRANCISCO, June 9.—The alternative writ of mandate in the case of J. S. McGinness against the mayor and common council of San Jose was dismissed yesterday by the Supreme court. The case has been in the courts since 1905 and attracted considerable attention because the question of the constitutionality of the act of the legislature governing the granting of franchises by municipal corporations was brought up.

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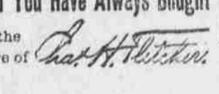
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On a Par With Seattle—

The stupidity of the editorial writer on the Seattle Times who, in jeering at Portland, lately, for her loss of the battleship fleet, said that "no sane naval captain would take his vessel within 50 miles of the Columbia bar," was not notably greater than that of the ardent prohibitionist writing to the Oregonian at Portland, on Monday last, who, in speaking of the local option election in this city, said: "Four precincts in Astoria have been won over to prohibition. The foreign quarter of Astoria was cleaned up two years ago, and this year what was known as 'Swilltown' has been rid of its saloons. This portion of the city is outside the foreign quarter." Nor, of the correspondent of Mr. Seufert, who, in the same issue of that paper, said: "That the stores of that place (Astoria) closed up last Friday and held a jollification over putting the upper river fisheries out of business."

CHIMES OF UNIVERSITY.

CHICAGO, June 9.—Music from the Alice Freeman Palmer Chimes of the University of Chicago will be rung out for the first time to-day when the exercises attending the installation will be held in the English gardens of the Tower Group. The chimes are said to be the only set in the country which number ten bells. F. Burger of Bristol, Conn., who is declared to be the best chime ringer in the country, will assist H. Hutchins, who accompanied the chimes on the trip from London, in ringing the bells. They will play the "Tempest" written by Mrs. Palmer, and the Varsity hymn "Alma Mater". The chimes cost \$10,000 and required six months in their construction. They are in honor of Alice Freeman Palmer, who was the first dean of women in the University.

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