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**TERSE TALES OF THE TOWN**

**Two Days Left—**

Today and tomorrow are all that is left of the required time in which to pay your water rent, and escape the penalties that fall after tomorrow.

**Appointed Guardian—**

J. Q. A. Bowlby was appointed guardian for the purposes of probate proceedings of Lily W. Byrd, who is insane, in the matter of the estate of B. C. Byrd.

**Absent For Week—**

County Superintendent of Schools Miss Emma Warren has gone to the Capital City to attend the state convention of county superintendents and will be absent until next Monday, September 14th.

**Administratrix Appointed—**

Hilga Hyvari was yesterday appointed administratrix of the estate of John Hyvari, who died and left an estate valued at about \$750. Matt Anderson, Alex Wirkkala and Charles Wilson were appointed appraisers of the estate.

**A Good Picture—**

The pleasant Grand moving picture house, have an exceptionally good program on this week, the feature picture being the "Gobel Tragedy," showing an excellent reproduction of the famous trial of Caleb Powers. The other subjects are also good and make a pleasant entertainment.

**Third Train Out—**

This morning the third salmon train leaves out over the A. & C. and the North Bank; since Sunday. Fifty cars of the great Columbia edible has gone forth, or 33,000 cases, or 2,310,000 pounds, or about one-fifth of the 1908 pack of the Columbia river and Alaska, centering here.

**Fire Precaution—**

A new sign has been posted on the great yards and docks of the Hammond Lumber Company, at Tongue Point, forbidding automobiles to enter or traverse the property. It is understood to be a precaution against fires, and is a wise provision, considering the immense interests at stake there.

**To Test The Law—**

It was said on the streets and waterfront yesterday, that a number of fishermen intend to take out boats and gear, tomorrow, and invite arrest for the sole purpose of testing out the law, or laws, recently passed in this state; and to ascertain which of them holds the right-of-way as a statute and in what particulars, if any. The attempt and its issue will have many an interested observer along the banks of the old Columbia.

**Four Good Shows—**

Astoria is nicely equipped with the latest amusement fad, the moving picture theatre. She has four of them; thoroughly well appointed, well kept and all with high class apparatus and the latest films on the great circuit of the business. Any idle moment in Astoria may be well and profitably spent at any of the houses, the Grand, the Hager, the Automatic, or the Jewel.

**A Fine Specimen—**

Dave Hood, Jr., the I. R. Company's agent at Megler, yesterday morning shot a fine specimen of the famous blue Herron, and sent the skin to this city, on the Nahcotta, to be mounted as only Emsley Houghton can mount it. The wings measure 5 feet and 8 inches from tip to tip, and the bird stood 3 feet and 6 inches, barefooted. Its color is rich and deep and warm, and once prepared it will be the envy of any fancier.

**By Foot And Canoe—**

Merwyn Troyer and Fred Cordier will leave for Seaside early this morning, making the journey principally by canoe and incidentally, on foot, carrying the canoe. They will utilize all the lakes, rivers, bays and creeks that traverse the country in their direction and hope to get in by sundown. A fine trip for a pair of husky youngsters, and one they will enjoy.

**Died Very Suddenly—**

In obedience to a sad summons from the Portland home of L. H. Lewis, telling of the sudden death of that gentleman, J. D. Strauss left up on the 8:20 express yesterday morning to attend the funeral of his late uncle. Mr. Lewis was a regatta guest in Astoria at the home of Mrs. Julius Strauss, and the news of his demise was very startling and grievous to kinsmen and friends in this city.

**Ninety Per Cent Better—**

Rev. C. C. Rarick, pastor of the First M. E. church of this city, who has been seriously ill for several months past, with sciatic rheumatism, was out on the streets yesterday, supported by a crutch and a cane and a determined will-power all his own. Mr. Rarick said he was "90 per cent better than he was when taken down," and so has but 10 per cent to gain.

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out on the miserable affliction. His many friends will be glad to see him strike a happy balance at an early day.

**Married Yesterday—**

Sam Simonsen and Miss Martha Gabrielsen, both residents of this city, were married yesterday afternoon by Judge Olof Anderson. The young couple appeared at the city hall with their license, accompanied by one or two friends, and the knot was soon tied by the police judge. License to marry was also issued yesterday in the office of the county clerk to James William Wahlgren and Miss Myrtle Hilda Hansen; and to Johan Salmela and Miss Santa Elina Waara.

**A Warm Send-Off—**

There was a very pleasant time last evening at the Memorial Lutheran church, when the friends of that faith tendered a farewell reception to Rev. P. J. O'Connell, who is to leave this morning for his distant home in Braddock, Pennsylvania. Mr. O'Connell has been here for several weeks and has enjoyed his stay very much as have those who had the good fortune to meet the up-to-date Eastern pastor. He may come back to Astoria just as he gets ready, and will surely find a welcome.

**Business And Pleasure—**

Manager Joseph Driscoll, who, as the representative of the Union Meat Company, in this city, has made himself extremely popular in both business and social ways, has been succeeded here, for the time being, by Ralph Blake, of Portland, and Mr. Driscoll has reported to the main office for orders, which, if rumor is not wholly mistaken, will likely be to take a brief holiday for the purpose of wedding a beautiful young lady of the metropolis and hieing away on a brief honeymoon; after which Astoria is likely to know him again.

**A Jolly Good Time—**

John H. Gunderson, assistant engineer on the lighthouse tender Heather, was the recipient of a pleasant surprise party given at the residence of Henry Jones, in Uppertown, last night. The party was given in his honor on account of his departure north in the line of his duties and a general good time prevailed. One of the pretty features of the function was the presentation to Mr. Gunderson, of a beautiful gold watch which was highly appreciated by him. "Shorty" Gunderson, as he is called, is a well known figure on the streets of Astoria. When the Heather is in port he being the tallest man in town, six feet 6 1/2 inches, being his height.

**Astoria Boy Weds—**

The pleasant intelligence reached this city yesterday, of the marriage, on Saturday last, September 5th, at Corvallis, Oregon, of Mr. Philip Gearhart, of this city and county, and Miss Nellie Marvin, at the home of the bride's parents, in that seat of learning. Mr. Gearhart is well and happily known here, being the son of Mrs. C. A. Gearhart. He graduated at the head of his class (in mechanical engineering) at Corvallis, in 1906, and has been notably successful ever since. Mr. Gearhart is at this time a valued employe of the Pacific Fire Extinguisher Company, at Seattle; where he and his bride will settle immediately and certainly with the best wishes of a host of Astoria folk for a long and abundantly happy life.

**In Musical Realms—**

Frank J. Eichenlaub, the popular young violinist, of Portland, who gave Astoria a fine exhibition of his rare ability at the first of the Astoria Philharmonic concerts, arrived in the city yesterday with a view of establishing a class in this city.—Dr. Emil Enna spent the day here yesterday on business matters, and after meeting the Astoria Regatta Committee in the afternoon, in the matter of the recent Saengerfest concerts here, departed for Portland on last evening's express and will, hereafter, teach in this city on Wednesdays instead of Tuesdays. Dr. Enna said yesterday that the Philharmonic rehearsals will begin here on next Wednesday, the 23rd instant, and be kept up regularly on all following Wednesdays.

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**JAPANESE WHO STRUCK WOMAN IS FINED**

**BUT THE WOMAN HERSELF IS ORDERED TO LEAVE CITY FORTHWITH.**

Lena St. Clair, as the name of the woman who was struck in the face by a Japanese on Commercial street Monday afternoon turns out to be, kept things as busy as a three-ringed circus during her first 24 hours in Astoria. In police court yesterday afternoon, at the conclusion of the case against the Japanese and of another charge preferred against her, she was told by Police Judge Anderson that it would be highly desirable if she would leave the city and would not stand on the order of her going. "I will go," she said, much in the tone of one who meant to go no matter what others might do to prevent her leave-taking. The Jap was found guilty. He testified in his own behalf that he had only struck her after she had struck him, and he explained that he was following her because she had refused to pay for a meal in the restaurant. Mayor Wise and Police Officer Belcher gave the principal testimony in the matter. Mrs. St. Clair had little to say. "I didn't pay for the meal," she said, "because it was rotten. I threw it out in the street."

Judge Anderson explained to the Japanese, that while he was justified in endeavoring to secure the money for her meal in a peaceable manner, that nothing justified him in striking the woman, and a fine of \$20 was imposed.

After the affair with the Japanese on Commercial street the woman wandered about town, apparently studying its manners and its people. During the 24 hours that she was thus engaged she "struck" Judge Trenchard, Justice of the Peace Goodman and a dozen others for money; was found idling away an hour in a "joint" near the waterfront; had trouble in the "Big Swede's" place; was accused of trying to tap the till in Luukinen & Harrison's store, and was accused of stealing some men's underclothing at the depot. What other things she did or tried to do are not known.

"It seems, said Judge Anderson, "it seems as if Astoria is not fast enough for you; you require a larger and swifter sphere in which to operate, and therefore it may be well that you do go, providing that you go quite soon."

That the woman is not quite herself seems probable. She is middle-aged and seems to wear a certain air of respectability. The affair with the Japanese attracted much attention, and while all agreed that the woman was entirely in the wrong, still there was nothing to extenuate the Jap's action in striking her.

It was a busy day in the police

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court. The Mattson woman was again in court, and when she steps forward into the spot light it usually means that there is trouble galore. She is the woman who was arrested a couple of months ago when there was a bloody fight over her at her place on Third near the waterfront. Then a man by the name of Tervi stabbed Matt Walquist. Late Monday night Police Officer Linville heard trouble in the Mattson place. He was told that there had been fighting and quarreling. He found the woman maudlin drunk. He arrested her and two men, while one man escaped. With the aid of citizens the woman was taken to the station. "Were you drunk?" she was asked by Captain Abercrombie, the city attorney.

"What, me drunk? Huh, I only had a couple of glasses of beer," she replied.

"Thirty days or \$60," said the judge, at the conclusion of a pretty stiff talk to her. One of the men arrested in her place was also fined, while the other was out on bail, and his bail money was declared forfeited. There were half a dozen "drunks," who also were fined. Then there was the case of an old resident of Union-

town who threatened a man to whom he owed money. He was lucky in getting off with a reprimand.

Ernest Malen was accused of being an idle and dissolute person. He is very quarrelsome, it was shown, and he chose to live in a place where no self-respecting man would. He agreed to leave town. Frank Deneri, well attired, and wearing a near-jaunty air, was also accused of being an idle and dissolute person. He asked for and secured a continuance. The police officers are after the worthless parasites, especially those who try to live off of women, and are cleaning the town of them.

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Pot Pie Beef.....	5c	Fancy cuts of Roast Veal.....	12 1/2c	Smith's Bologna.....	10c
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To spice and boil.....	5c	Extra choice Veal Cutlets.....	15c	Sugar cured Breakfast Bacon.....	17 1/2c
Beef Hearts.....	5c	Veal Sausage.....	12 1/2c	Best Hams.....	17 1/2c
Beef Liver.....	5c	Shoulder Roast Lamb.....	10c	Half a Ham.....	17 1/2c
Corned Beef.....	6c	Fancy cuts of Shoulder Roast Lamb.....	12 1/2c	Sliced Ham.....	15c
Fancy cuts of Corned Beef.....	8c	Lamb.....	12 1/2c	Sliced Breakfast Bacon.....	20c
Shorts Ribs of Beef.....	7c	Hindquarters Spring Lamb.....	15c	Boiled Ham.....	25c
Pot Roasts of Beef.....	7c and 8c	Leg of Spring Lamb.....	15c	Sliced boiled Ham.....	30c
Roast Beef.....	8c	Spring Lamb Loin Chops.....	15c	Dry Salt Pork.....	12 1/2c
Shoulder Steak.....	8c	Spring Lamb Rib Chops.....	15c	Pickled Pork.....	12 1/2c
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