

THE FIRST BIG FIGHT

Organized Labor Takes Its Initial Stand Against the Japanese Restaurants in This City.

Next Tuesday, May 1, organized labor and the friends of the working men will begin the boycott on the Japanese restaurants. At the same time the cooks, waiters and waitresses will ask for shorter working hours. At present many of the members of the three different unions work as long as 16 hours. For the waiters and cooks this is bad enough, but the average waitress cannot stand a strain very long, therefore shorter hours are demanded. It is understood that the limit for work will be placed at 10 hours.

More Enumerators.

WHATCOM, April 28.—The following are enumerators for the remaining counties of Western Washington not named yesterday: Mason—M. E. Jones, W. G. Rex, W. McDonald, H. Dean. Pacific—J. H. Turner, D. G. Mackay, F. R. Loomis, L. D. Williams, A. Falton. San Juan—E. Allen, H. Butler, J. H. Snowden and C. M. Tucker. Skamania—James Haffey, G. W. Fissett. Thurston—P. McKenzie, J. H. Watrous, W. L. Sapp, A. N. Sargent, E. Hopkins, H. Crinkhauk, W. H. Anders, E. C. Saiter. Wahkiakum—L. C. Burton, J. C. Kennedy.

COAL MINES NEAR NOME

Tests Prove That It is of a Very Fine Quality.

J. H. Morgan, who recently came out from Nome by way of Kodiak island, reports that the fuel question for Alaska, which, up to the present time has been a rather serious one, is soon to be solved. Large coal mines have been found and located between Dutch Harbor and Cape Nome, and adjacent to a land-locked, deep water bay. Samples of the coal were brought down by Mr. Morgan, and tests have demonstrated that the product is of the finest quality. The deposits are large and can be easily worked.

Mr. Morgan and the men associated with him are now organizing a company to put in the necessary equipment and machinery to operate the mines. When they are once in working order, coal can be landed anywhere on the Alaskan coast at from \$10 to \$12 per ton.

The Playhouses.

Quo Vadis.
The sale for "Quo Vadis" which opens at the Seattle theater tomorrow night, began this morning and was very brisk during the entire day. Rose Stillman heads the "Quo Vadis" cast.

On the Suwanee River.
"On the Suwanee River," now in its third season, comes to the Third Avenue theater for one week, commencing Sunday, April 29. The play is as evidenced by the title, a story of Southern life, love and hate. The plot is eventful, touches of pathos here and there, plenty of genuine humor and human interest throughout.

Palm Garden.
The Palm Garden give three more performances of the present bill—tonight, tomorrow afternoon and tomorrow night. The matinee is at 2 o'clock.
Next week's new stars of the musical world will make their first appearance in Seattle.

"Have You Seen Smith?"
The Third Avenue theater attraction, "Have You Seen Smith?" is playing to a crowded house at the matinee this afternoon. It will be repeated for the last time this evening.

West's Minstrels.
Wm. H. West's Jubilee Minstrels open next Wednesday night at the Seattle theater. West claims the present company is the greatest he has ever gotten together. It includes Carroll Johnson, Richard J. Jose, Fred Warren and 40 others.

MARINE NEWS.

The little schooners Crescent and Never Mind made the fish dock last night from Flattery, bringing 13,000 pounds of halibut. They belong to the Ainsworth & Dunn fleet.

Three huge sand anchors were loaded on the dismantled schooner Mercury yesterday, each weighing seven tons. The Mercury will go to Nome in tow, and it is the intention to anchor her off the beach for storehouse purposes.

The bark Theobald, Capt. Comenon, sailed for Nome Thursday night with a cargo of lumber.

Schoner Emma an Louten, Captain Kessel, got away for Nome yesterday. She carried as passengers John Moody, Jack Moody, Julia Moody, Mrs. John Moody and Ida Berquist. The schooner carries a lumber cargo and other supplies.

The transport Athenian, which is owned by the Canadian Pacific Co., is being dismantled by the government. This work has begun and will require about five days. When it is finished the vessel will be released by the government and taken over by the company.

One of the trimmest craft that will sail for Nome this season will be the ex-United States revenue cutter Corwin. She will get under way from the White Star dock next Tuesday. Capt. West said this morning that he would carry 30

NORWEGIANS TO CELEBRATE

Will Hold Forth in This City on May 17.

The Norwegians of Puget Sound, under the auspices of the Norse Club, will celebrate the 86th anniversary of Norway's day of independence, at Madison park, May 17. Great preparations are being made, and the exercises will be of the finest. Wagner's band will play at the park all the afternoon. Mrs. Jennie Houghton-Edmunds will also render several selections. Two large steamers will be engaged by the Norse Club to take those visiting Seattle on a trip around the lake, free of charge.

MOVEMENTS OF MAILS.

The Great Northern last night was two hours late, missing all Eastern connections at St. Paul.

The Al-Ki came in with a heavy Alaska mail.

FISHERIES ABSORBED

The Newly Organized Company Takes Control of Valuable Property.

The Puget Sound Packing Company, with a capital stock of \$500,000, was organized at the Butler hotel yesterday. The new company absorbs the Aberdeen Packing Company of Fairhaven and the National Packing Company of Port Angeles, and has acquired some twenty of the most valuable fish traps on the Sound.

Immediately after the organization was completed, all papers drawn up at a business meeting were called and the following officers named: President and general manager, B. A. Seaborg; vice president, James D. Hoge, Jr.; secretary and treasurer, J. O. Hanthorn. The following were elected trustees: B. A. Seaborg, J. O. Hanthorn, T. B. McIlwain, of New York, James D. Hoge, Jr., and Frank Olson, of New Whatcom.

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WILL STORE HOPS.

W. W. Andrews, the hopgrower of Puyallup, reports that the hopgrowers in his district were not discouraged over the low prices that obtained last year. However, he said, if we are confronted with low prices again, this year we are prepared to store our crop, and by the new process the value of the hops will not be deteriorated.

WILL MAKE A SOUND TOUR

University Musical Clubs Organize and Will Travel.

The University of Washington, during the year which is about to close, has evinced a marked tendency to a higher plane of college life. Its aspirations to peerage with the greatest universities in the country, could not find a more worthy expression than in the latest enterprise—musical work of a high quality. This organization immediately placed itself under the competent directorship of Prof. Andrews and by faithful application during the year to the study of high grade music is now enabled to offer to the music-loving public a program which will satisfy the demands of the patrons and do credit to the institution.

DEATH CAUSED BY THE PLAGUE

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Chinese Must Go.

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