

OIL SCHOONER BURNS

FANNY ADELE IS A TOTAL LOSS AT SAN FRANCISCO.

Vessel Was Loaded and Preparing to Sail When Flames Broke Out in Her Cargo.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—The three-masted schooner Fanny Adele, laden with coal oil, gasoline and general merchandise for Nome, Alaska, was set on fire today by an explosion which occurred in the hold and is a total loss.

A few moments before the disaster Captain Fisher left the schooner, with four men on board, Seaman Joseph and Clausen being on deck and Joseph Manne and J. Kruntkrizer in the cabin.

The schooner was burned to the water's edge and is a total loss. It was owned principally by C. J. Hendrickson & Co., of this city.

The tug Governor Markham finally succeeded in dousing the flames and towed the hulk to Angel Island.

RIVER STILL GOES UP.

Rise to 22 Feet is Certain by End of the Week.

For the first time since 1884, there will be flood water in the streets of Portland, and from the way the river is rising, it will be there probably for several days.

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DESIGNED BY MRS. HENRY E. REED.

CIRCUS DAY HAS COME

NORRIS & ROWE SHOWS ENTERTAIN LARGE CROWDS.

Crowns and Elephants, Acrobats and Tightwire Performers All Bring Delight to Boyville.

"Whoop la," shouted the funny old clown, "ta-um-ta-ta," played the band, the elephants ate peanuts and three dust on their backs in the same old way.

The present generation of kids has been wildly excited since the big wagons rumbled up town from the railroad yards.

It was deliciously thrilled when the ferocious wild beasts and the glittering band-wagons rolled through the streets on parade yesterday and was delirious with joy when the camels, the elephants, the ponies, the bepanopied princes and princesses and the clowns in their motley marched into the big tent two by two.

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MUST PAY \$100 ON PIANO

JUDGE FRAZER DECIDES AGAINST J. H. MILLER.

Man Who Bought Two Pianos for His Wife's Christmas Gift is Compelled to Keep His Contract.

Judge Frazer decided yesterday that no fraud had been practiced by Soule Bros. in the sale of a Starr piano to J. H. Miller, a contractor, for \$420, and granted a judgment in favor of Soule Bros. and against Miller for \$100.

Miller signed a contract for the purchase of the piano on November 12, 1903, and it was to be delivered on December 25, following, as he said he desired to present it to his wife as a Christmas gift.

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FORCE does please your palate, but it treats your stomach right, too.

Dr. W. Norton Davis & Co. Established 1889. For the Treatment of Private, Nervous and Chronic Diseases of Men.

Special Attention Paid to Treatment by Mail. Send for Free Book and Question Blank.

Office hours—Daily, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Evenings 7 to 9 P. M. Sundays 10 to 12 A. M.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Dr. Logan, of The Dalles, is a guest at the Imperial.

Attorney J. E. Rand, of Hood River, is at the Imperial.

Judge William M. Colvig, of Jacksonville, is at the Perkins.

J. V. Rhea, banker, of Heppner, arrived last night at the Perkins.

Ex-Mayor H. V. Gates, of Hillsboro, is registered at the Perkins.

C. E. Lytle, a Columbia Southern railroad man from Shaniko, is at the Imperial.

Mrs. Frank A. Seufert and Miss Seufert, of The Dalles, are at the Imperial, en route to California.

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Advertisement for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, featuring a woman's portrait and text: 'Miss Rose Peterson, Secretary Parkdale Tennis Club, Chicago'.

Advertisement for 'A Good Host' Rye, featuring a bottle illustration and text: 'Hunter Baltimore Rye'.

Advertisement for 'The Overworked Eye' medicine, featuring a man's portrait and text: 'Dr. W. Norton Davis & Co.'.

Advertisement for 'Ayer's Hair Vigor' featuring a woman's portrait and text: 'Your hair shows you should use it—unless you like to look old!'.

Advertisement for 'Dunara An Arrow Collar' featuring a collar illustration and text: 'Fifteen Cents Each'.

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