

RIVER QUEST EVER

Last Week's Mark Sets New Record for Willamette.

RISE SOON WILL COME

Stage as Recorded at Noon of November 2.01 Foot Above Zero or Below All Past Figures.

The Willamette River at Portland was at a lower stage during the past week than it has ever been known since records, official and unofficial, have been kept.

This reading was made at the noon hour and differs from the government reading on that day, which was taken at 8 in the morning, when the tide had some effect in raising the stage.

The Columbia also has been in a somewhat similar condition, with sandbars making their appearance for the first time in a number of years.

The unpleasant feature of the low stage of the river has been from the sewage being dumped on the river banks because the sewer mains were not originally built to carry out but to carry in.

WINDJAMMERS TO INCREASE

Shipmaster Predicts Canal Will Help Sailing Vessels.

At the Merchants Exchange yesterday several shipmasters, two of whom were masters of tramp steamers now in the harbor, were discussing the passing of the sailing vessel from the coast.

The price of coal is rising annually and supplies are gradually being cut out.

POLTALCOCH MAY LOAD HERE

Admiral Boreason Coming and Strathairn Arrives.

On the waterfront the prospect of the British ship Poltalcoch returning for cargo is discussed, as she has been added to the list of carriers for J. J. Moore & Company to load for South Africa.

J. J. Moore & Company have not denied the rumor that the Norwegian Admiral Boreason is to be loaded for Australia.

STRATHAIRN ARRIVES IN PORT

British Steamship Brings 6000 Tons of Coal From Newcastle.

The British steamer Strathairn, which arrived Saturday night from Newcastle, New South Wales, with 6000 tons of coal, is at the Pacific Coast Company's wharves, and will begin discharging this morning.

Home in New Service.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Nov. 5.—(Special.)—According to an announcement made today, Coos Bay is to have another steamer on the passenger route.

Schooner J. J. Logic Strikes on Bar.

EUREKA, Cal., Nov. 5.—Undersailing to put to sea yesterday in spite of a heavy swell, the lumber schooner J. J. Logic, lumber laden, struck on the bar and was badly damaged.

Martine Notes.

The steamer breakwater arrived yesterday from Coos Bay points with a good passenger list and a fair freight.

Helena and takes on 250,000 feet of lumber. She will go to Hoquiam and finish her cargo of lumber for San Francisco.

In connection with an announcement that the Harrison line, operating from Europe to Pacific Coast ports, will carry coffee to the coast.

Movements of Vessels.

Astoria, Nov. 5.—Condition at the mouth of the Columbia at 10 A. M. moderate and northward, 10 miles; weather, cloudy.

High.

6:25 A. M. — 7.5 feet; 11 A. M. — 2.3 feet; 6:15 P. M. — 1.9 feet; 10 P. M. — 2.0 feet.

DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

PORTLAND, Nov. 5.—Maximum temperature, 56 degrees; minimum, 48 degrees.

STATIONS.

Table with columns for Station, Direction, and State of Weather. Includes locations like Astoria, Clatskanie, and various river points.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

An unusual movement of the Canadian "Ice" westward has resulted in a severe storm in the Puget Sound country.

FORECAST.

Portland and vicinity—Fair, westerly winds.

AUCTION SALE TODAY.

At 254 1/2 Market st., cor. 55 St. Furniture, etc., at 10 A. M. Geo. Baker & Co. Auctioneers.

DEED.

SHARKEY—At the family residence 237 Washington street, Nov. 5, 1911, Mrs. May Sharkey, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William S. Sharkey.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

MARSTON—In this city, November 4, 1911, Mrs. M. Marston, aged 72 years, beloved wife of J. H. Marston.

TORRENT FLORA CO.

Floral Designs, 1108 S. Commercial, Portland, Ore.

OREGON HUMANE SOCIETY

OFFICE: CITY HALL, Main 592, A. 1508. HUMAN OFFICERS: Sergeant C. J. ...

HEILIG THEATER. PHONES MAIN 1 AND A 1123. TONIGHT, 8:15 O'CLOCK. Tomorrow and Wednesday Nights. Features: GRACE VAN STUDDIFORD.

HEILIG THEATER. PHONES MAIN 1 AND A 1123. 3 NIGHTS BEGINNING NEXT THURS. Special Price Matinee Saturday. Henry H. Harris Presents THE COMEDY OF CITY LIFE.

BAKER THEATER. Main 2 and A 2229. Tonight, all week, bargain matinee Wed. 2:30; Saturday matinee, 2:30, 5:00. BILLY (SINGLE) CLIFFORD. THE GIRL, THE MAN AND THE GAME.

OPERA HOUSE. Main 2 and A 2229. WEEK NOVEMBER 6—Special Engagement. THE GIRL, THE MAN AND THE GAME. Popular prices Matinee Daily, 2:30, 7:30, 9.

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MEETING NOTICES. WILLAMETTE COUNCIL, ROYAL ARCANUM, meets at 7 P. M. ... WILLAMETTE LODGE, NO. 12, meets at 7:30 P. M. ...

CLASSIFIED AD. RATES. Daily or Sunday. Per Line. One time, 10c; two times, 15c; three times, 20c; four times, 25c; five times, 30c; six times, 35c; seven times, 40c; eight times, 45c; nine times, 50c; ten times, 55c; eleven times, 60c; twelve times, 65c; thirteen times, 70c; fourteen times, 75c; fifteen times, 80c; sixteen times, 85c; seventeen times, 90c; eighteen times, 95c; nineteen times, 1.00; twenty times, 1.05.

Clearance Sale Inside Property. We have five of the choicest blocks in Capitol Hill, and in each of these blocks there are from three to five lots left. It is our purpose to entirely clear up these odd lots in a short time.

Clohessy & McGuire. 618-17 Abington Building. COLLIS, BERRIDGE & THOMPSON, PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS, AUDITORS, 224 Worcester Block. Phone Main 5547.

MORTGAGE LOANS 5% JOHN E. CRONAN, 7% 502 Spaulding Bldg. PLENTY MONEY! To Loan Today. Mortgage Loans! GEO. H. THOMAS, Room 2, Alameda Bldg., and Oak.

West Side Brick Apartment. On a corner, in a choice location; building is new and modern and contains 15 two, three and four-room apartments. Annual INCOME \$3600. PRICE \$34,500. Property under 5-year lease.

A. H. BIRRELL CO. 202 McKay Building, 3d and Stark Sts. of artistic HOUSES or BUNGALOWS designed by A. H. BIRRELL, Architect. Full details of construction. PRICE TEN DOLLARS. OUR BOOK IS FREE. PORTLAND BUILDING ASS'N 322 MOHAWK BLDG.

Lumbermen Manufacturing Concerns Individuals of Big Affairs NOTICE! A man qualified by experience and of proved ability, capable of filling acceptably any high-grade of official position requiring superior executive capacity, is open for engagement.

Home \$5000. On East Madison street, near E. 25th. Good house, 7 rooms; lot 50x100. Terms to suit the most particular.

A. H. Birrell Co. 202 McKay Bldg., Third and Stark Streets. FINE FARM FOR SALE 253 acres, 13 miles from Corvallis, in best section of Willamette Valley. 100 acres in cultivation. 100 acres can be irrigated; ditches and flumes on place. Orchard and fruit trees on place. Selling for \$100 per acre. This is a strictly choice farm, few benefits for \$1200 per annum.

REAL ESTATE. Back William O. BENDIS, 102 McKay Bldg. 548. Chapin & Hervey, 123 Chamber Commerce. Jennings & Co. Main 122. PALMER-JONES CO. H. P. 494-495-496. The Oregon Real Estate Co. Grand and Multnomah at Holladay Addition.

REAL ESTATE. For Sale—Lots. \$250-3 full lots on 30th, between Farrell and Killingsworth. ... PORTLAND HIGHWAYS, EXCLUSIVELY. Beautiful homes and homesites, all with electric cars. ...

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REAL ESTATE. For Sale—Lots. LADD ADDITION, PINE CORNER. A small corner, 21x21, with all street improvements. ...

REAL ESTATE. For Sale—Lots. \$1200-THREE fine, full-sized lots in restricted district. ...

REAL ESTATE. For Sale—Lots. MR. LOT OWNER, HERE IS YOUR CHANCE TO OWN A HOME. ...

REAL ESTATE. For Sale—Lots. HAWTHORNE DISTRICT. Two fine new 8-room modern houses. ...

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REAL ESTATE. For Sale—Lots. IRVINGTON HOME. Built on 1/2 acre, modern in every particular. ...

REAL ESTATE. For Sale—Lots. WEST SIDE, close in, \$1400. 2 rooms, built in 1908. ...

REAL ESTATE. For Sale—Lots. ACCORDY'S FINE HOME. 12 1/2 room, built in 1908. ...

REAL ESTATE. For Sale—Lots. TO BE SOLD AT ONCE. NATIONAL REALTY COMPANY. ...

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REAL ESTATE. For Sale—Lots. FERRIS and railroad shophouse reads this: Close to new P. R. & P. S. P. S. ...

REAL ESTATE. For Sale—Lots. PORTLAND HEIGHTS residence of 7 rooms, new and modern in every particular. ...

REAL ESTATE. For Sale—Lots. FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW. Just completed, near steady road. ...

REAL ESTATE. For Sale—Lots. APARTMENT-HOUSE SITE. Unexcelled location on 13th and Main. ...

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REAL ESTATE. For Sale—Lots. CHOICE ACREAGE TRACTS. Close to Portland, rich walnut fruit trees. ...

REAL ESTATE. For Sale—Lots. HAVE 6 acres near electric line to sell to the highest bidder. ...

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REAL ESTATE. For Sale—Lots. A BARGAIN FOR 15 DAYS ONLY. 544 acres of river-bottom land. ...

REAL ESTATE. For Sale—Lots. IMPROVED AND UNIMPROVED FARMS. From 100 to 1000 acres, all clear, ...

REAL ESTATE. For Sale—Lots. LAND! LAND! WEST SIDE. Farm 160 acres, 3 miles from Portland. ...

REAL ESTATE. For Sale—Lots. DO YOU WANT A SNAP? 40-acre farm with crop stock and improvements. ...

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