

FREIGHT SERVICE STUBBORNLY INADEQUATE

Local Merchants Feel Lack of Proper Steamship Facilities.

PROPOSE OPPOSITION LINE

Shippers Have Difficulty in Sending Product to Market Through Lack of Steamers - Harriman to Operate Columbia Soon.

Tomorrow evening marks the departure of the San Francisco & Portland Steamship Company's liner Barracouta on her second Southern trip since the re-establishment of the steam service between the two cities.

Because of the poor service furnished Portland in the matter of transportation, several of the prominent merchants have taken up a proposition to establish an independent line of steamships between Portland and San Francisco, but whether or no they will be successful in their endeavor remains to be seen.

The San Francisco & Portland Steamship Company is not the only one that cannot handle all the freight offered for shipment, for the California & Oregon Coast Company has been refusing freight since Friday, and their steamer, Alliance, is not scheduled to sail until tomorrow evening.

METEOR TAKES ON COAL

Big Steamer Crashes Into Piling While Landing at Bunkers.

The steamer Meteor, Captain McFarland, lumber laden for San Francisco, came up from the lower harbor yesterday for the purpose of unloading at the bunkers of the Pacific Coast Company.

Inspect New Gasoline Launch.

ASTORIA, Aug. 11.—(Special.)—Deputy Collector of Customs McCue and Inspector Crosby returned this morning from Tillamook Bay, where they made the official measurement of the gasoline launch Kinloch, which was built at Garabaldi by Michael Peterson.

Tropic Bird at Vancouver.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Aug. 11.—(Special.)—The barkentine Tropic Bird arrived up the river from Astoria this morning and will take on a cargo of 300,000 feet of lumber at the docks of the Washington and Oregon Lumber Company.

Italian Ship Clears for Chile.

ASTORIA, Or., Aug. 11.—(Special.)—The Italian ship Caterina Accame cleared at the Custom House today for Antofagasta, Chile, with a cargo of 1,400,000 feet of lumber, valued at \$2,238,85. The lumber was loaded at the Knappmill wharf.

Loss of Esperance Denied.

DUNKIRK, France, Aug. 11.—The report of the loss of the bark Esperance of Dunkirk, growing out of the finding of a message in a bottle on the coast near Ostend, containing a statement that she had been lost, is denied.

Marine Notes.

The British ship Braboch shifted from the Banfield dock across the river to the Oceanic dock, where she will be supplied with a cargo of grain for the United Kingdom.

The schooner Admiral was placed on the drydock yesterday to receive new caulking. Seventy men were taken down to the vessel yesterday and the work will be rushed, for she is needed in the lumber trade between here and San Francisco.

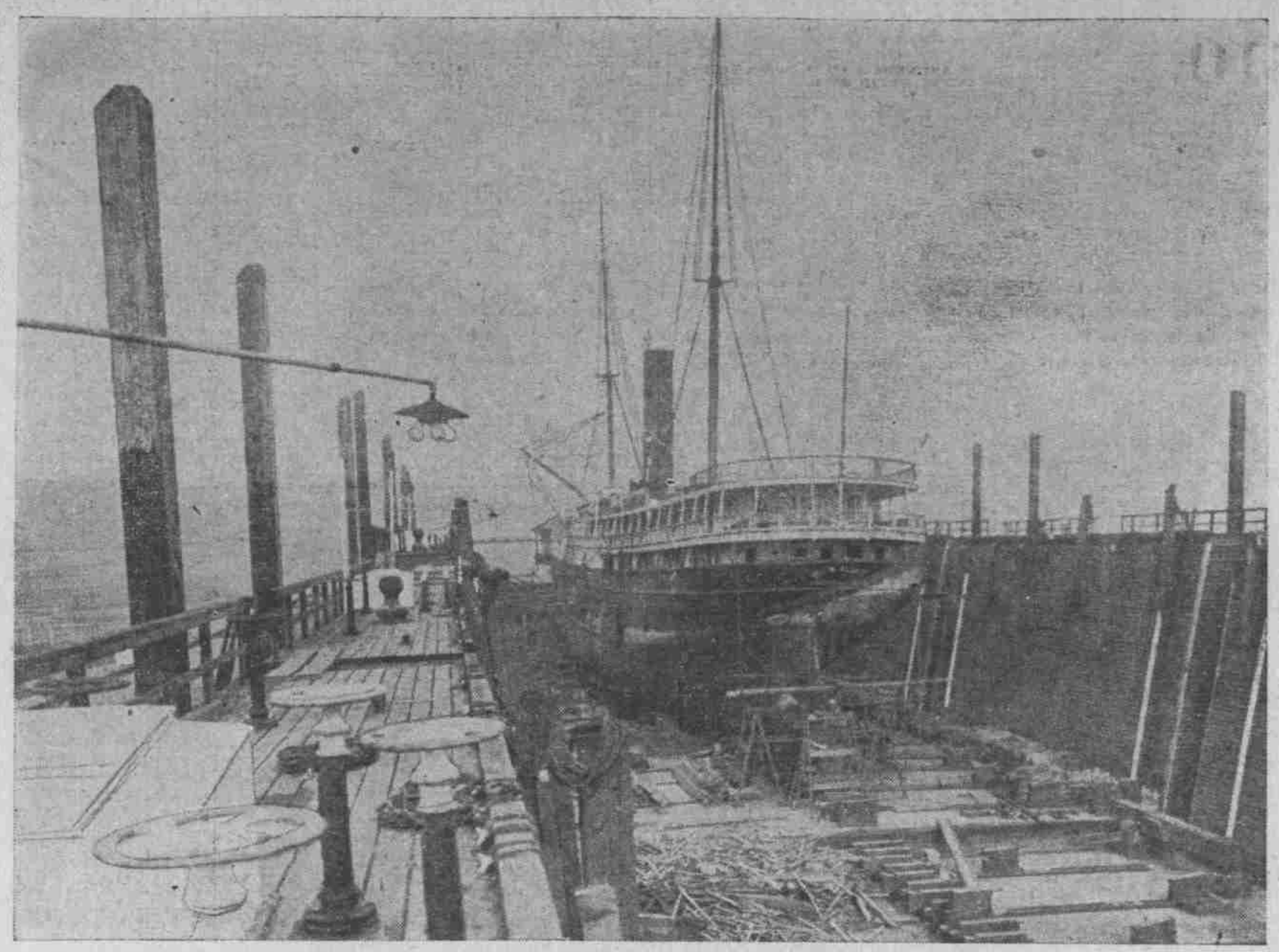
The steam schooner Thomas L. Wand arrived at the Inman-Poulsen Mill yesterday and commenced loading a cargo of lumber for San Francisco. Captain Hardwick reports a fine trip up the coast.

Ernest Laidlaw, of Laidlaw & Company, has gone to San Francisco to make an effort to secure more lumber carriers to transport the product of the local mills to San Francisco. Mr. Laidlaw says that eight or ten vessels could be used here immediately.

The schooner O. M. Kellogg, which arrived for a cargo of lumber yesterday, is one of the old-time sailing vessels that has made numerous trading trips to the South Sea Islands.

The repairs to the pilot schooner Joseph Pulitzer were completed yesterday and she will be towed down to Astoria

WORK OF REPAIRING STEAMER WILL BE EXPEDITED



STEAMER GEO. W. ELDER IN DRYDOCK.

The steamship Geo. W. Elder will soon be floating on the waters of the Willamette, say her owners, who have been using every means in their power to hasten the work of repairing the vessel. The steamer struck a submerged rock, in the Columbia River off Goble in January 1905, and sank, lying for 18 months half submerged.

Today by the steamer Harvest Queen, which is also taking the British ship Bardowie to the mouth of the river.

Arrivals and Departures. ASTORIA, Aug. 11.—Condition of the bar at 5 P. M. smooth; wind northwest; weather cloudy. Sailed—At 10:15 A. M., steamer Bardowie, for San Francisco; last night, steamer Tiverton, for San Francisco. Outside at 5 P. M., three-masted bark.

Redondo, Aug. 11.—Arrived—Schooner W. F. Jewett, from Columbia River. Hongkong, Aug. 11.—Arrived—Schooner Brisbane, from Vancouver and Honolulu, for Sydney.

SAILORS CLAIM VICTORY

UNION CREWS SHIPPED ON VESSELS LAUNCHED AT ABERDEEN.

This is regarded as a point gained by Seamen's Organization—The James Butler starts for Portland.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Aug. 11.—(Special.)—The union sailors, who are on strike here, contended that they have made quite an advance, inasmuch as the steam schooners Quinault and Butler, recently launched, have had union crews engaged and the steam schooner Ideal is also to have a union crew.

Andrew Peterson, inspector and master mechanic for the Olson & Mahoney Ship Company, will start with the James Butler, the schooner recently completed at the Lindstrom yards, for Portland Sunday, where her machinery will be installed.

Mr. Peterson will accompany him and will probably go from there to her home in San Francisco. Mr. Peterson will return to Aberdeen after he has turned over the James Butler to the operating department to inspect another ship for the same company.

MERGE PROVISION PLANTS

Swift & Co. Absorb New England Meat Establishments.

BOSTON, Aug. 11.—(Special.)—A report is current here that Swift & Co. have completed the purchase of the entire beef-packing and tanning industry of New England, at a cost of \$10,000,000.

The North Packing & Provision Company, of Somerville, including the late John P. Soure Company, White, Pease & Dexter, Worcester, and the Springfield Provision Company, of Brightwood, controlled by the North Packing & Provision Company, have been absorbed in the deal.

The North Packing Company having been bought up two years ago. The deal also includes the Barnes & Hart Company, of New Haven; the Consolidated Rendering Company, of Boston, and the New England Dressed Meat Company, of Boston. The International Calfskin Company, of Boston, with a factory at Peabody; the A. C. Lawrence Leather Company, of Boston, with a factory at Peabody; and the Winchester Tannery Company, of Boston, with its plant at Winchester, Mass., are also taken over.

Inspect All Army Meat Rations.

LONDON, Aug. 11.—The troops encamped on Salisbury Plain recently complained of their canned meat rations, as a result of the recent exposure, and the authorities today issued a report that canned meat hereafter would only be issued once a month and then not until the cans had been opened and inspected.

Places Filled With Japanese.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 11.—(Special.)—The striking debris workers complain that their places are being filled by Japanese workmen, and cite as an instance the neighborhood of Leavenworth and Eddy streets are employed in clearing the debris. As a strong anti-Japanese resolution was passed by the Labor Council last night, some action will probably be taken in response to the complaint of the striking debris workers.

SIWASHES RESUME STRIDE.

Losing Again in Their Accustomed Manner, and Oakland's Profit.

SEATTLE, Aug. 11.—With the score 4

tie in the ninth, Devereaux hit for two bases and shoved across the plate for the winning run by two sacrifice hits. Heltmuller's one-handed catch of a liner was the feature. The score: R. H. E. Seattle.....010002000-3 9 2 Oakland.....102000001-4 9 3 Batteries—Jones and Blankenship; Hopkins and Hackett. Umpire—Mahaffey.

SEALS LOSE BY AN ERROR

Hildebrand Muffs a Fly With Angels on All Bases.

OAKLAND, Cal., Aug. 11.—In the eighth inning today, with the bases filled with Los Angeles baserunners, a fly was hit out to Hildebrand, who not only muffed, but threw wild to the plate, allowing the trio to score. The score: R. H. E. Los Angeles.....010000241-3 9 1 Oakland.....00000001-1 5 2 Batteries—Bergemann and Mangera; Williams and Spies. Umpire—Hudson.

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE.

Tacoma 4, Butte 1.

TACOMA, Aug. 11.—Tacoma won its fourth straight victory over Butte today. Butte was in great form. Up to the ninth inning, the Miners had made but two hits off his delivery. Tacoma outplayed the visitors and won the game with ease. The score: R. H. E. Tacoma.....01100101-4 7 3 Butte.....00000001-1 5 2 Batteries—Butler and Shea; Toren and Swindell. Umpire—Huston.

Gray's Harbor 5, Spokane 3.

HOQUIAM, Wash., Aug. 11.—The Grays defeated Spokane today in a see-saw contest by the score of 5 to 3. The score: R. H. E. Gray's Harbor.....10001021-5 13 2 Spokane.....00101010-3 7 0 Batteries—Boyer and Boettger; Blexrud and Altman.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Standing of the Clubs.

Chicago.....73 30 709 New York.....63 34 750 Pittsburgh.....48 55 668 Philadelphia.....48 55 668 Brooklyn.....41 60 410 St. Louis.....39 67 368 Boston.....29 69 340

New York 2, Pittsburgh 1.

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—New York beat Pittsburgh today in the eleventh inning. Seymour bringing in the winning tally with a home run. Score: R. H. E. New York.....1 0 0 1 0 2 1 3 0 Pittsburgh.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 Batteries—Lynch and Gibson; McGinnis and Bowerman. Umpire—Klem and Emale.

Philadelphia 1, Cincinnati 0.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 11.—Thomas scored the only run of today's game in the sixth inning on a single, a steal and a muff by Kelly. Weimer allowed the bases but three hits. Score: R. H. E. Cincinnati.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 Philadelphia.....1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 Batteries—Weimer and Schiel; Dugley and Donovan. Umpire—Carpenter.

Chicago 6, Brooklyn 0.

BROOKLYN, Aug. 11.—Chicago scored another shut-out over Brooklyn today. The game was called in the eighth inning because of rain. Score: R. H. E. Chicago.....6 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 Brooklyn.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 Batteries—Fetzer, Radtback and Moran; Scanlon and Bergen. Umpire—O'Day.

Boston 3-5, St. Louis 2-4.

BOSTON, Aug. 11.—Boston won both games with St. Louis today. The first contest lasted 12 innings and ended in a wrangle. Umpire Conway was obliged to call on the people to assist in quieting the St. Louis players. The disturbance occurred when the umpire declared Howard safe at the plate, Gray claiming that Stroebel, who was running toward

first base, interfered with his throw to the plate. Conway would not reverse his decision. The visitors protested strongly, but the police induced them to retire. Score: R. H. E. Boston.....3 9 1 St. Louis.....2 12 1 Batteries—Young and Needham; Thompson, Marshall and Noonan. Second game: R. H. E. Boston.....5 5 2 St. Louis.....4 9 4 Batteries—Dorner and Brown; Brown and W. Thomas. Umpire—Conway.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Standing of the Clubs.

New York.....57 39 302 Philadelphia.....49 47 399 Chicago.....39 48 378 Cleveland.....38 48 378 St. Louis.....31 48 315 Detroit.....29 52 490 Washington.....29 52 490 Boston.....30 73 291

Chicago 8, New York 1.

CHICAGO, Aug. 11.—Chicago defeated New York in the second game of the series today. Hoag was hit hard in the first inning and was replaced by Newton, who was also hit hard at opportune times. The visitors went wild in the eighth inning. Clarkson, New York's third pitcher, gave two bases on balls and a trio of errors and a double by Owen. Chicago made four runs. Elbersold was reinstated today. Morally, one of New York's players, fought with a spectator, but was quickly subdued by the police. Score: R. H. E. Chicago.....8 2 2 New York.....1 6 3 Batteries—Owen and Sullivan; Hoag, Newton, Clarkson and Kleinow.

Cleveland 3, Washington 1.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 11.—Cleveland defeated Washington by bunting four hits in the seventh inning. At that the locals would not have scored that inning had not Hickman's throw to complete a double play been wild. Score: R. H. E. Cleveland.....3 2 2 Washington.....1 6 3 Batteries—Hess and Bemis; Patten and Wakefield.

Detroit 2-7, Boston 3-3.

DETROIT, Aug. 11.—Boston and Detroit broke even in a double-header today. The first game, a 13-inning affair, was the best contest played here this season. Score: R. H. E. Detroit.....2 7 1 Boston.....3 3 3 Batteries—Mullin and Schmidt; Winter and Doran.

St. Louis 5, Philadelphia 4.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 11.—A batting rally in the sixth inning, coupled with two of Philadelphia's errors, won today's game for St. Louis. Pety was erratic and received miserable support, but was both lucky and effective with men on bases after the second inning. Score: R. H. E. St. Louis.....5 3 2 Philadelphia.....4 8 4 Batteries—Pety and O'Connor; Coakley, Bender and Schreck.

RIVALRY FOR CITY SUPREMACY

Schillers and Maroons Will Settle Vexed Point This Afternoon.

The last amateur game to be seen at Recreation Park for some time, inasmuch as the Beavers are home for the next six weeks, will be played this afternoon at 2 o'clock between the Schillers and Maroons. The Schillers, by virtue of a string of victories, claim the championship of the city, but the Maroons maintain that the gaudies is even up. They claim to have won a five-inning contest from the Schillers early in the season, while the Schillers have in mind the recent severe drubbing they gave the Brainards.

Several new faces will appear in the line-up today. Siebels has been called in by the Maroons to try his hand against the cigarmakers, and if his curves are not elusive, big Goodell

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will go on the firing line. The Schillers chased Goodell to the timber at their last meeting and Manager Smith depends on Siebels as his main battery star today. Siebels has a long and good record as a pitcher and he is expected to give the cigarmakers a hard time as did little Taylor last Sunday. Rick Parrot and Myers will pitch for the Schillers. Burns, a new player, will appear at the second base.

The line-up: Schillers. Positions. Maroons. Parrot, Myers.....P.....Siebels, Goodell Slavin.....C.....Antone, Brock Fay.....S.....S.....Gray Alex Barrett (capt.).....P.....Fowbridge Burns.....I.....E.....Campbell (capt.) Houston.....R.....Mangold Oliver.....R.....Henkle Chapin.....C.....P.....Gaines Patterson.....L.....F.....McKenna

TROTTING AT BUFFALO.

Grand Circuit Results Show the Phantom in Front.

BUFFALO, Aug. 11.—Grand circuit results: 217 trot, purse \$1000—The Phantom won the second and third heats and the race in 2:31 and 2:14 1/2. O. W. H. won the first heat in 2:54. 218 pace, purse \$1000—Rudy Kip won the second and third heats and the race in 2:05 1/2 and 2:07 1/2. Alfalfa won the first heat in 2:04. 219 pace, purse \$1000—Wilson Addington won three straight heats and the race in 2:14 1/2, 2:07 1/2 and 2:08 1/2.

To Cross Coast Range in Auto.

W. J. Clemens, an insurance man, left yesterday morning in his touring car for a two days' trip over the hills to the west to the sea coast, taking his family. He expects to make the beach at Fletcher's, where he will stay a short time, returning to reach Portland Monday evening. This trip over the mountains is a hard one, and Mr. Clemens expects considerable difficulty.

Canadian Wins First Yacht Race.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 11.—The Canadian challenger Zoraya today won the first race of the series of yacht races for the Fisher's cup from the American defending yacht. The course was triangular, 21 miles in length. The unofficial time: Zoraya, 3:17:00; Iroquois, 3:14:30.

Miss Sutton Starts Home.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 11.—Miss May Sutton, of Pasadena, Cal., the American tennis expert, sailed for New York today on the steamship Cadiz.

Dispute About Labrador Boundary.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Aug. 11.—Newfoundland government officials received advice yesterday from Montreal that the Quebec provincial government has begun proceedings at Ottawa to press for an adjustment of the Labrador boundary dispute. The Newfoundland government is awaiting formal notice of the proceedings through the imperial colonial office before joining issue with the Quebec government, but it has had officials busy for months acquiring data to assist in establishing the colony's claim to the disputed territory.

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MEETING NOTICES.

GEORGE WRIGHT POST, NO. 1. G. A. R. will give a midsummer social at their hall on Friday evening, the 17th inst. Music, ice cream and things will be discussed. The W. R. C. and friends generally are invited.

CENTENNIAL COUNCIL, NO. 1311. KNIGHTS AND LADIES OF SEYMOUR, give a social Monday evening, August 13, at 7 P. M. Hall, Shedd and Alder. Ice cream and cake sale. ADVIE L. CHILDS, Cor. Sec.

R. P. O. ELKS—The members of Portland Lodge, No. 142, are requested to meet in our lodge room today (Sunday) at 2:30 P. M. sharp, to conduct the funeral services of our late Brother W. F. Riley, aged 80 years, deceased. Burial at the Exalted Burial Ground, at 2 P. M., from the Exalted Burial Ground, at 2 P. M. JOHN B. COPPEY, Sec.

DIED.

WEEKS—Suddenly, at the Dalles, Or., August 11, 1906, of typhoid fever, Mrs. M. Weeks, wife of G. A. Weeks, aged 65 years and 2 months. She was born in Haverhill, Mass., August 20, 1840. Her father and mother, brother and sister, mourn her sudden death. No better young man ever lived.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

CARLSON—In this city, August 11, 1906, at 871 Mississippi avenue, Amiel Carlson, beloved wife of G. A. Carlson, aged 62 years. The funeral will take place from the above residence Monday, August 13, at 2 P. M. Interment at Lone Fir Cemetery. Friends respectfully invited to attend.

RILEY—At Phoenix, Ariz., August 8, 1906, William F. Riley, aged 25 years. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services, which will be held at the Elks' Temple, today at 2:30 P. M. Interment in Riverside Cemetery. Friends respectfully invited to attend.

STURCHLER—At her late residence, 51 East Fifth second street, Mount Tabor, August 10, 1906, Annie Sturchler, aged 65 years and 2 months, wife of Joseph Sturchler. Funeral will take place at 2 P. M. from the residence. Interment at 2 P. M. from the residence. Friends invited to attend.

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