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TODAY'S WEATHER.

PORTLAND, Aug. 16.—Western Oregon, showers in the north, fair in southern portion. Washington, showers and cooler in east portion.

AROUND TOWN.

Ice cream 50c a quart at the parlor.

Captain A. W. Gates is now in command of the Canby.

Wanted—One dish-washer and one waiter; apply at Parker House.

Best 15-cent meal, Rising Sun Restaurant, 612 Commercial street.

Jeff's Restaurant—the largest and best. A trial will convince you.

A pile-driver will be used by the regatta committee for high diving events.

For Rent—Four unfurnished rooms, for house keeping. Enquire at 377 Tenth Street.

Fancy Crawford peaches for canning, direct from the orchard, today at Johnson Bros.

The steamer Braemar, which left this port for Hong Kong arrived there on August 12th.

The crew Vigilant came down the river yesterday morning with 300,000 feet of lumber.

The best and cheapest tailoring in the city at A. KILJUNEN, 622 Commercial Street.

The steamer Gerlie has gone to Stella, where she will take on 300,000 feet of lumber for Cathlamet.

The contract for painting the Presbyterian church was let yesterday morning and the work begun in the afternoon.

The Mount Tabor Military band arrived from Seaside yesterday afternoon and went to Long Beach on the evening boat.

Judge Nelson returned yesterday from Independence where he visited his mother who is lying at the point of death.

The Manzanita will leave this morning for a trip to the lighthouses along the Washington coast. She will carry supplies.

While working with a steam saw yesterday Ralph Wood got his glove tangled with the saw and his hand torn quite badly.

Tuesday was pay-day for the soldiers at Fort Stevens. Many of the boys came up to this city yesterday to do their buying.

Johannes A. Brunstrom, a native of Finland, yesterday made known his intentions to become a citizen of the United States.

The fish commissioner will go to the Clackamas hatcheries this evening to be there when the governor makes a tour of inspection.

The schooner Pioneer, which recently left Knappa for San Francisco, had a cargo of 465,312 feet of lumber and 44,988 feet of laths.

Lenhart Carlson forfeited a bond of \$10 in preference to appearing in police court to answer to the charge of disorderly conduct yesterday.

BEST 15-CENT MEAL; RISING SUN RESTAURANT.

Pears' soap is nothing but soap. Pure soap is as gentle as oil to the living skin. Pears' is the purest and best toilet soap in all the world.

When you want a stylish new suit made cheap, call on A. KILJUNEN, 622 Commercial Street.

Eugene J. Hughes, sign painter, of San Francisco, is now with B. F. Allen & Son, 435 Commercial street.

Crown Pure Rye, America's finest whisky. The only pure goods; guaranteed rich and mellow. John L. Carlson, sole agent.

A. T. Webb, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Mattie Webb, passed through the city on their way to Portland yesterday.

A most wonderful clairvoyant and business medium will give readings daily, for a short time only, at room 14, Main Street House.

Remember we guarantee our ice cream to contain nothing but cream and sugar and flavor. It is 15 cents per pint at the Parlor.

Stephen Guphill, who died in the hospital Monday, will be buried from Pohl's undertaking parlors this morning at the expense of the county.

Put up your winter supply of fruit now. A No. 1 peaches, pears, plums, cheap for preserving. Apples at 50c a box. FOARD & STOKES.

At the next meeting of the council the mayor will again ask the council to confirm his appointment of L. Lebeck, for police commissioner.

Sheriff Linville has returned from Portland where he placed the incorrigible youth, Alvin Ringville, in charge of the Boys' and Girls' society.

Roslyn coal lasts longer, is cleaner and makes less trouble with stoves and chimneys flues than any other. George W. Sanborn, agent. Telephone 1311.

The men who are to represent the several athletic and rowing clubs in and around San Francisco in the coming regatta will arrive here shortly by boat.

Several Chinamen had a free for talk fight at ten feet yesterday afternoon on Bond street across from the postoffice. No one was blown away during the affray.

Isaac Anderson, of Pacific county, Washington, and Miss Christina Geselius, of Clatsop county, Oregon, were married by Rev. McCormac Tuesday evening.

The Presbyterian Sunday school will picnic at Olney on Friday. The Mayflower, which has been chartered for the occasion, will leave the Ross, Higgins' dock at 5 o'clock.

The committee appointed by President Van Dusen to thoroughly acquaint itself with the woolen mills' proposition, has not as yet reported the progress made in the work.

Gabriel Evenson, a native of Norway, and Alfred Jackson, a native of Finland, took out their first papers toward becoming citizens of the United States yesterday afternoon.

The Orealla went up the river yesterday as far as Brookfield in tow of the Wallula. The Riversdale will be brought in this morning. Both vessels will then be towed to Portland.

Captain Stream reports that while towing some fishing boats from this city to Gray's Harbor Tuesday morning, one of them was overturned and a fisherman barely escaped drowning.

A cake walk, in which local talent will participate, is now being contemplated by the regatta committee. This would prove of great interest and would meet the approval of every one.

The several cases against the managers of the canneries, who were charged with having fish illegally caught in their possession, will be called this morning at 10 o'clock in Justice Brower's court.

The Fashion saloon was opened Thursday night under the management of Lindsey & Carlson. If you want to spend a pleasant evening and enjoy good music, give the boys a call. Best of wines, liquors and cigars in stock.

Edward Larson, the suicide of Tuesday, will be buried from the undertaker's this afternoon. Although it is reported that Larson has relatives in this city, they have shown no disposition to make themselves known or to take charge of the remains. The coroner will impound a jury this morning to view the remains. The verdict will in all probability be suicide, and hold the railroad blameless for the man's death.

The fishing season has now closed on both shores and the canneries have notified the fishermen that no more fish will be received. Receiving acs, belonging to the canneries were being brought in yesterday and anchored along the shores.

In Justice Brower's court yesterday afternoon Mamie Smith was bound over to await the grand jury, on a charge of larceny. Many witnesses were examined. The pocket-book, which was the property of Jensen, the man robbed, was found in an alley way near the Smith woman's home.

T. H. Wymonde yesterday filed suit in the district court against the Columbia River Packers Association and G. W. De Force for breach of contract. In the complaint, it is set forth that the plaintiff was, according to contract, to receive the offal of the canneries belonging to the association.

The Ladies Society of the Swedish Lutheran church will hold its annual sale in the church parlors on Saturday evening, August 18th. The sale begins at 7 o'clock sharp. Members and friends of the church are kindly asked to be present. Everybody is welcome. Ice cream, coffee, etc., will also be served.

A man had a dog. Another man kicked the dog and in return was smashed in the mouth for doing so by the first man. The second man then went home and got a knife and was out hunting trouble when Officer Stark relieved him of the weapon. This happened late Tuesday night. No arrests were made.

James Coakley, a plain drunk, who has made his presence in the city obnoxious for many months, was fined \$5 in police court yesterday afternoon. He made a strong talk to Judge Nelson and Chief Hallock, that he was desirous of leaving the city at once, but his words had no effect upon the officials. He will have to serve his time.

Until further notice the steamer Bailey Gatzert, of the White Collar Line, will leave Astoria Sundays at 7 p. m. instead of Saturdays, making through connection for Portland with steamer Nahcotta from Ilwaco and all Long Beach points. Rooms and berths for Sunday nights will only be reserved when cash accompanies the order. Rooms 75c; berths 50c.

Robert Clunna, a fisherman, too full of family disturbance to maintain his equilibrium, was taken in by Officer Phillips early yesterday morning. When searched at the station a check was found on him for \$250. Some friends appeared and put up \$5 for his appearance in court a few moments before his case was called for trial. The bond was declared forfeited by Judge Nelson.

Low rate via Union Pacific railroad to G. A. R. Encampment, Chicago, Ill., August 27th to September 1st, 1900. For the above occasion the Union Pacific railroad will make a special rate of \$71.50 to Chicago and return. Tickets on sale August 21st and 22nd. For further details concerning this cheap rate, call on G. W. LOUNSBERRY, Agent O. R. & N. Co., Astoria Oregon, or address J. H. LOTHROP, General Agent, 125 Third Street, Portland Oregon.

The Swedish Lutheran Sunday school picnic yesterday at Youngs River was a more than hoped for success. The attendance was over 200. The Mayflower and a scow were well loaded with the picnicers who left here at 8 o'clock in the morning and returned at 4 p. m., making a short stop at their way back, at Greenwood cemetery. Refreshments were served free to all, and special care was taken by the refreshment committee that each child and adult should have all that their hearts desired.

A horse attached to a delivery wagon belonging to the Astoria Transfer Co. had a lively run yesterday morning. It became frightened while the driver, Will Hansen, was eating breakfast, and he went out to quiet it. The animal dashed frantically up Ninth street and at the intersection of Bond, the bed of the wagon and the front wheels parted company leaving Hansen behind. When the animal arrived at the stables it ran into a telegraph pole and broke a shaft. The wagon is in a badly wrecked condition.

Walter Fell has returned from an outing at Cannon Beach, Clatsop county. Mrs. Fell stopped at Portland and will remain there for a two-weeks' visit. Cannon Beach is justly celebrated as being one of the most beautiful in the world. The scenery at the mouth of Elk creek is most picturesque, and that stream teems with game fish. The beach is of white sand and so firm that the wheels of wagons fall to it. While for bicycle riding it is superb. Mr. Fell had a very pleasant trip.—Pendleton East Oregonian.

Early yesterday morning when the proprietor of the Swan saloon opened his doors for business, he found that some one had entered the place during the night and broken things up in fine style. The thief or thieves entered the saloon by prying open a window on the north side of the building with a crowbar. After gaining an entrance, the window was closed and the work of demolition and robbery was begun. A slot machine was first broken into and \$15 or more taken from it. Then a card slot machine was broken and a few cents obtained. Not being satisfied with the haul, the robbers went to a safe and, by trying rags over the handles and combination knob to smother the

noise, broke them off with a hammer. A ratchet brace was then put into operation and a hole bored between the knobs into the metal to a distance of at least five inches and another one also was begun, but the person or persons gave up their work before any other damage was done. The only clue the police have to work on is the ratchet brace which is now at the police station awaiting identification.

Sunday, as the steamer T. M. Richardson with a barge attached, was taking on passengers at Newport preparatory to crossing the bay, Peto Anderson's little son, Willie, and a playmate crowded down the gangplank and out on a single board laid on the rafters beneath the dock, says the Albany Herald. They had barely gotten on the board when they both fell into the bay. A couple of men immediately rushed to the side of the barge, and when the boys came to the surface gripped the collars of their coats and lifted the boys from the water like a couple of drowned rats. Neither of the lads was hurt.

One of the largest steers ever raised in Umattila county was brought from Camas prairie last week and arrived here Saturday, and with 41 lighter ones was bought by Mr. Phillips, who represents Zoetker Brothers of Seattle, says the Pendleton East Oregonian. This particular animal was weighed at Albu on the way toward Pendleton, and registered 1570 pounds. On arrival here after four days traveling it weighed only 1470 pounds. There has been much speculation as to whether cattle would lose much of their weight while being driven from the ranges to market, and the above would indicate that the loss was considerable. This band of cattle was sold by George McGaughey, who lives on Camas prairie, and he, together with Messrs. Viereck and Smith, brought them to town and turned them over to Mr. Phillips.

J. Mortimer Brown, editor of the White Lake, S. D., Wave, summarizes one end of the political situation in the following comprehensive manner:

- You bet. Same old ticket. Same old boss. Same old platform. (Minus cross). Same old powder. Same old gun. Same old widder. (Steen to one). Same old kickers. Same old growl. Same old anti-Hanna howl. Same old issues—Nothing new. Same old lies to help 'em through. Same old talkers. Same old josh. Same old brand of Campaign slosh. Same old voters. (Bless their souls). Same old trouncing. At the polls!

The schooner Maid of Orleans arrived this week from Uyak Bay, Alaska, with 7,000 cases of red fish packed by Hume Bros. & Hume of this city. Sussman, Wormser & Co. were the largest receivers, and from them we learn that they sold yesterday 2,500 cases of their consignment for the most part in a large way on the street at 1.07 1/2, and at 1.15 jobbing. Hume Bros. & Hume have, besides, the Harvester & Ferris Thompson sailing vessels, and the Equator & Francis Catting engaged in this trade, and expect to pack in all 62,000 cases during the present season. Pink Alaska salmon is extremely scarce on the spot and scarcely procurable. It is worth \$1.05 in a jobbing way. It is confirmed that the Alaska pack will be a record breaker, say 150,000 in excess of last year's. It will be also most likely red, which under the circumstances is the most available description, seeing that the inferior descriptions don't sell well when they have to be retailed over 10c. Arrivals in quantity will begin about the end of this month, and there will then be plenty of fish on offer. The Alaska Packers' Association has not yet named prices. A good authority here does not believe that the Columbia river pack will reach 220,000 cases in all, and that if the legislatures do not stop the use of wheels and traps the fishing on the river will be ruined. Others believe the pack will reach 250,000. The run has been poor on Puget Sound, and the pack there is not one-third of what it was last year at the same date. Deliveries will have to be largely cut down. A meeting of Puget Sound packers is to be held to-morrow, when outsiders that so far have sold little or none of this year's fish, will name prices. On the Fraser river the run is also poor, but on the Skeena and Rivers Inlet it is a full average, so that up till date there is in British Columbia, on the whole, an excess as compared with last year. The only fish at this moment on offer from first hands is the outside Oregon rivers, held at \$1 and Chinook at \$1.25, by the Griffith-Durney Co. Packing on this begins this month. Taking everything into consideration it is not expected that this year's pack on the Pacific coast will be, on the whole, more than 10 per cent, or 200,000 cases, short of last year's.—San Francisco Greaser.

HARPER WHISKEY GOT FIRST REWARD.

PARIS, Aug. 14.—American whiskey received the official approval of the exposition today when the first award for merit was made to Bernheim Bros., Louisville, Ky., on their I. W. Harper whiskey.

NOTICE.

All persons having rooms kindly leave name, address and price for same at Regatta Headquarters.

JOHN C. M'CUPE, Secretary.

MISS TALLANT WILL BE QUEEN

Was Chosen by a Large Majority.

VERY EXCITING CONTEST

Miss Anna Peterson Made Large Gains and Stood Second When the Contest Closed.

Miss Louise Tallant has been voted queen of the regatta by a vote of 51,296, Miss Anna Peterson, who until last night's count was below the hundred mark, made a decided gain and netted 23,809 votes, thereby coming into second place, but was unable to head Miss Tallant's lead.

The excitement attending the counting of the votes at regatta headquarters was intense. The members of the committee started out at 7:30 to gather up the boxes with an express wagon and a great crowd awaited their arrival at headquarters. A representative of the firms where boxes had been placed was present when the votes were counted and at least 100 other citizens who were more or less interested in the outcome. While the tally sheet was being made up on the telephone in the building was merely ringing, everyone wishing to know the result. As each box was opened and the vote announced there was much speculation among the spectators as to who would be the leader.

The total vote up to last night, before the final vote was counted was 29,214, while the total vote counted last night was 74,071. The total number of ballots cast during the contest was 104,285.

- The vote for the leading candidates follows: Miss Louise Tallant 51,296; Miss Anna Peterson 23,809; Miss Olga Noy 8,471; Miss Madge Sovey 7,992; Miss Nell Utzinger 2,965; Miss Antonia Johnson 1,599; Mrs. I. Bergman 1,116; Miss Madge Chapman 1,089; Mrs. K. Osburn 710; Miss Maude Stockton 498; Miss Nell Carahan 389; Miss Jennie Curtis 382; Mrs. A. M. Smith 294; Mrs. F. Leinenweber 284; Mrs. T. T. Geer 197; Miss Myrtle Higgins & Co. 190; During the contest last year over a quarter of a million votes were cast. Miss Sue Elmore was chosen queen by a vote of 118,539, with Miss Louise Tallant second with a vote of 81,276. Miss Isabel Trullinger (now Mrs. T. T. Geer) stood third with a total of 55,303 votes.

- The count by boxes last night follows: No. 1. Dunsbury's 45; No. 2. Madison's 20; No. 3. Tagg's 25; No. 4. Fisher Bros. 17,600; No. 5. Miller & Son 3,110; No. 6. Hoefler's 18,119; No. 7. Johnson Bros. & Co. 1,089; No. 8. Peterson & Brown 110; No. 9. McAllen & McDonnell 400; No. 10. Svensen's 480; No. 11. Bracker's 100; No. 12. Fair 100; No. 13. A. Stokes 584; No. 14. P. A. Stokes 520; No. 15. Olsen's 494; No. 16. Foard & Stokes 494; No. 17. H. Wise 32; No. 18. Ross, Higgins & Co. 100; No. 19. Coffey's 25; No. 20. Jackson's 25; No. 21. Cooper's 100; No. 22. Bell 18; No. 23. Madison's 865; No. 24. Griffin & Reed 428; No. 25. Danziger's 16,900.

The large vote cast in box four was all for one candidate, Miss A. Peterson, while the second largest, in box 25, was cast for the winning candidate.

ADDRESSES HIS DOG.

He Points Out to His Canine That He Has the Better of Him.

A Dutchman, addressing his dog, said: "My dog, you had a schnap. You was only a dog, and I was a man, but I wish I was you. Every day you had der best of it. Ven you want to go mit der bed in, you shudt durns durn tree times and lay down. Ven I go mit der bed in I haf ter look up der place and vind up der clock and undress mine self und my vake up und scolds me, den der baby cries und I haf to talk him up and down, den der bynny ven I shudt get to sleep I's time to get up again. Ven you get up you stretch yourself and scratch a couple of times and you are up. I haf to light der fire and put on the kettle, scrap some mit my vife already, und den maybe I get some breakfast. You play round all day and haf plenty of fun. I haf to work all day and haf plenty of trouble. Ven you die you still haf der best of me; you shudt lie still. Ven I die I haf to go to heil, yet?"—Ex.

NOTICE.

No bills will be paid by the regatta committee unless contracted or authorized by the chairman or secretary. It is desirable that all bills should be presented promptly.

CHAS. H. STOCKTON, Chairman. JOHN C. M'CUPE, Secretary.

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Working in Swope's paint shop, 's a man who will, some day in the near future be one of the most famous painters in the world, should he be so fortunate as to fall in with lovers of art, who will assist him in exhibiting his very excellent work to the outside world.

One of his best pieces of work is at present in the office of Dr. Estes. It is called the "Old Violin." Quite an interesting story is connected with this piece.

The original "Old Violin" was painted by William Harnett, of New York, known to artists as the king of still life painters. The work is said by some critics to be Harnett's masterpiece. Although he is credited with having painted the original, there are some who claim the original has been in the Earl of Denby's collection for centuries and that a remote mosaic of it is in a Hindoo temple.

Mr. Harnett's picture is so realistic that while it was being exhibited in Cincinnati, a policeman had to stand guard before it to prevent doubters from feeling it. In Minneapolis a glass was placed over it for the same reason.

It was at Minneapolis where Mr. Baker first saw the painting. He was at the time a mere boy, but had been devoted to art from early childhood.

The sight of the painting so haunted him that he dreamed of it by night and day. As he told a reporter for the Astorian: "I could do nothing but think of that painting, oftentimes musing so intently over it that I forgot my meals."

The following year, Mr. Baker painted it so successfully from memory, that when it was exhibited it was mistaken for the original by art critics. When those who doubted that it was the original, were told that it was painted from memory, by a mere boy who had not received any education whatever, except by his own efforts, they smiled incredulously.

However, the superintendent of that city department in the schools of that city hunted Baker out and persuaded him to attend the Minneapolis school of fine arts which had just been opened by some of the wealthy citizens of that city.

Here Baker was given a thorough training and later went to Europe. In London he submitted a couple of original paintings to the directors of the national gallery, who concluded to admit him to the gallery for life.

After copying a number of the works of art there, Baker recrossed the Atlantic and came west to Oregon. Since coming to Astoria Baker has done several pieces deserving of merit. At the present time he is at work copying the masterpiece of Bongeracou entitled "Satyr and Woodynymphs," the original of which is in the Hoffman House in New York City. It is valued at \$25,000.

Some day in the near future the paintings of Baker will be exhibited in

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

M. Lorenson, S. C. Hondley, Frank McFarland, Clara Metzer, Portland; E. N. Leroy and wife, Pendleton; E. B. Hill, Portland; T. C. Mills, Portland; F. P. Wolfe, Goble; Wm. Furlong, A. & C. R. R.; F. C. Meekel, Portland; M. Wise, Ilwaco; J. B. Pope, Long Beach; A. Donnegre, Light ship No. 50; H. Higgins, Light ship No. 50; W. J. Pomeroy, Kalama; E. C. Howard, Stella; W. S. King and wife, Portland; Charles Hauck, Portland; Phil Gerhart, St. Louis; James Fox, Olney; W. E. Bender, Knappa; Henry Benis, Fortville; M. L. Creek; R. S. McLeran, Portland; W. S. Cone, Boise City.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The following deeds were filed for record yesterday: A. R. Cyrus to J. E. Gratz—lot 3, block 4, Kinney's Astoria; \$75. Adrine and J. A. Johnson to B. C. Kindred—lot 27, block 22, New Astoria; \$300.

CONVENT OF HOLY NAMES.

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Courses—Academic, Grammar School and Primary Studies will be resumed, Monday, September 3, 1900. Special rates to parents desirous of entering their daughters as weekly boarders, that is for pupils spending the five school days at the Academy and returning to their homes Friday evening. Circular sent on application.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Odd Fellows' Land & Building Association will be held at Odd Fellows' hall on Thursday, August 23, 1900, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors, and such other business as may lawfully come before the meeting. G. REED, Secretary. Astoria, Or., July 22, 1900.

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