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TODAY'S WEATHER.

PORTLAND, Aug. 21.—Oregon, partly cloudy and occasionally threatening. Cooler in the west, except near the coast, and warmer in the eastern portion. Washington, partly cloudy and threatening in the west, showers and thunderstorms in the east portion.

AROUND TOWN.

Ice cream 30c a quart at the parlor. The P. D. Q. Club will give a walk-out tonight. Mayor Bergman has returned from a trip to Grays river. Mrs. O. B. Estes has returned from a prolonged stay at the beach. Best 15-cent meal, Rising Sun Restaurant, 612 Commercial street. Jeff's Restaurant—the largest and best. A trial will convince you. A plain drunk was the only offender in police court yesterday afternoon. Work on the Goble and Nehalem railroad is reported to be progressing rapidly. For Rent—Four unfurnished rooms, for house keeping. Enquire at 577 Tenth Street. The best and cheapest tailoring in the city at A. KILJUNEN, 522 Commercial Street. For Sale—Complete gear for two traps at Dedemona Sands. Apply to Frank Woodfield. When you want a stylish new suit made cheap, call on A. KILJUNEN, 522 Commercial Street. The Neacolum Spruce Lumber Company of Seaside is now making a specialty of hemlock flooring. Eugene J. Hughes, sign painter, of San Francisco, is now with B. F. Allen & Son, 435 Commercial street. Cream Pure Eye, America's finest. The only pure goods; guaranteed fish and mellow. John L. Carlson, sole agent. A most wonderful clairvoyant and business medium will give readings daily, for a short time only, at Astoria 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. Once more James Conkley is out of the tolls. Chief Hallock found a place for him at Grays Harbor, and gladly shipped him from the city. Put up your winter supply of fruit now. A No. 1 peaches, pears, plums, cheap for preserving. Apples at 5c a box. FOARD & STOKES. Paddy Purcell and his trainer, Butta, have lively boxing bouts daily. Purcell is now in the pink of condition and ready for the coming contest with Jost. Roastly coal lasts longer, is cleaner and makes less trouble with stoves and chimney flues than any other. George W. Sanborn, agent, Telephone 1311. Graham and Allen defeated Girard and Funge at tennis Saturday, scoring three out of five. The games were close and exciting from start to finish. The Eliza, the three-masted schooner from Honolulu Saturday evening, is the first Italian ship to enter the Columbia river within the past twenty years. The Young Ladies' Society of the Norwegian Evangelical Lutheran church will hold their annual auction this evening at O'Brien's hall Upper-town. All of the old iron and around Fort Canby has been sold to a roller mill in Portland. It will be loaded on the scow Defender and taken up the river shortly. The Fashion saloon, under the management of Messrs. Lindback & Carlson, is one of the most popular resorts in town. 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. BEST 15-CENT MEAL; RISING SUN RESTAURANT.

Wear a shell bangle ring made by Prof. Estes, the gold wire artist, at Conn's drugstore. Mamie Smith, charged with relieving a fellow named Olsen of 10, has secured bondsmen and been released from the county jail. An employe at Brick's logging camp was in the city yesterday with a badly cut hand, the result of an accident with an axe. Dr. Henderson sewed up the injured member. F. B. Demmit, of Riverdale, Cal., a Belgian hare enthusiast, will be in the city today with some fine animals. Mr. Demmit was one of the first importers of the hares on this coast. The fire department was called out last night at 9 o'clock to a house at 265 Astor street, where a defective flue was causing the neighborhood to fear a general conflagration. Little damage was done. Deputy Fish Commissioner Loughery went out on the river Sunday evening in the launch "C" for the purpose of investigating the reports that much illegal fishing was being done. He returned empty handed. Alvin Ringville, the incorrigible youth of Seaside, who was placed in charge of the Boys' and Girls' Society of Portland, recently made his escape from there Saturday, but his vacation was brief. He is again in custody. Local wheelmen are requested by the regatta committee to file their entries at once for the bicycle race which is scheduled to take place Saturday afternoon. The Hamble wheel will be offered as the prize for this event. A young lady came down from Portland to see William Jorger, an inmate of the county jail, held for forgery. She recently was given a worthless check, and wanted to see whether Jorger was the man she was looking for. He proved his innocence. During regatta the Astoria & Columbia River railroad will make a rate of one fare for the round trip from all stations to Astoria, except Portland to Astoria. Tickets will be good going on August 23, 24 and 25 and returning up to and including August 27. Charles Olson, the boy who saw Kong Luey kill Wong Ark Toy, has not washed from Hayes, Clark county, Washington, so the preliminary trial of Luey was called in the justice's court yesterday. Constable Kelly is out of the city on a search for the youth. Sophia Catherine Anderson was yesterday appointed by the county court, administratrix of the estate of A. A. Anderson. There are three children to be looked after. Anderson was recently drowned while working at the Astoria Box Company. The estate is valued at \$2,500. The inhabitants of Seaview have built a railroad platform over a hundred feet in length and twenty in width. A bench will be placed at the stars. In preference to listening to the sound of the sad sea waves, runs the length of the platform. The money was raised by popular subscription. There were more visitors at the coast resorts Sunday than at any time during the past summer, but the season is on the wane. Baggage of all descriptions is being dumped on the docks by vessels coming from Long Beach, while trains from Seaside are crowded with returning beachers. Many are waiting for the regatta before returning. A man named Yerkes, who is said to reside up the river, was arrested yesterday on complaint of a carpenter who claimed that Yerkes had stolen a pair of boots. Chief Hallock found his man in a drunken condition and placed him in jail to sober up. The case will in all probability be transferred to the justice court should the complainant wish to prosecute. The fire department had a run yesterday from the residence of W. L. Robt, next to the Shively school house, where the rear portion of the building was found to be in flames. Hard work by the firemen and volunteers saved the building and contents. The damage will amount to \$250. Judge McBride held that the provision of the city charter exempting the city from liability from injuries due to defective sidewalks was unconstitutional. The brief filed by City Attorney Smith yesterday, was an argument in support of the city charter. Sunday afternoon, the otherwise quiet little village of Seaview was thrown into a fever of excitement by the sight of a fisherman's boat containing two men, anchored within a mile of the shore. The men seemed to be in distress and frantically waved their arms to the people on shore, but it was long after dark before anyone thought of notifying a life-saving crew. President Loomis of the I. R. & N. was phoned to for assistance in obtaining the crew, but he replied that the men could come in through the surf, if they were in danger. During the night fires were kept burning along

the shore in the hopes that the men would come in, but when the mist cleared away yesterday morning the boat was nowhere to be seen. It is surmised that the occupants were fishermen going to some point on the coast, and were blowing a favorable wind. If such was not the case, then the men have no doubt found a watery grave. It is said that twice before, life-saving crews have gone out after boats in the office arriving there, were launched at by the occupants. Sunday night's episode may have been a case of the boy and the wolf. Charles Osgood, of Youngs river, has been missing chickens of late and was unable to account for their disappearance, until a few days ago he saw two big wildcats prowling around near his chicken house. Following a gun, he went after them and brought two scalps to Justice Brewer yesterday. Osgood will receive \$2 for the same, providing he lives long enough. Justice Brewer, will make out affidavits to the effect that he received the scalps, then present the same, together with his affidavit to the county court, which will approve the same, and forward to the secretary of the state. Some time in the future a warrant will be returned here authorizing the county treasurer to pay \$4 for the scalps. That the long looked for sale of the Iwaco Railway and Navigation Company's property to the Oregon Railway and Navigation Company is a fact cannot be corroborated, yet it is certain that the formal transfer of the road will take place today. Final arrangements were made in the city yesterday when President Loomis for the I. R. & N. Company, met President Mohler, Auditor E. S. Benson, Passenger Agent W. H. Hurlbut and Freight Agent B. Campbell, of the O. R. & N. The party went to the office of C. W. Fulton, and after being closed there for a few hours, returned to the I. R. & N. Co.'s dock and went to Iwaco on the Canby. When seen yesterday morning, President Loomis, together with a sale of the road was under contemplation, but said that the same had been talked of for years, but nothing definite as yet had been done. He said that he was willing to sell, as he had interests elsewhere that required his attention. It has been known for a long time that the O. R. & N. was seeking a deep-water harbor, as the company realizes that it is the only question of a few years until the Willamette river will be un navigable for deep draught vessels at Portland. A survey was made from Portland to Kenyon, on the Washington side of the river, and it is thought that the O. R. & N. will either try to come down here by that route, or will continue the I. R. & N. to Point Tillamook, where there is a sufficient depth of water for a landing for their river boats. C. F. Johnson, forger, and L. L. Whitley, embezzler, two well-dressed fellows who to all outward appearances were landed proprietors, fell into the clutches of Chief Hallock Sunday evening. They were in the city yesterday evening when they were taken to Portland, by J. Cordano, a detective from that city. The men had been in the city several days, presumably looking for a location to build something or to invest some of their ill-gotten gains. They succeeded in persuading the editor of an evening paper to permit them to set out a special, regatta edition of the sheet, and after the time might have smiled upon them had not Chief Hallock "queered" the affair. Whitley was staying at the Tighe hotel, with a woman who says she is his wife, and little suspected that the officers in the city were on his trail. In response to a telegram from the chief of police of Portland, Chief Hallock went out on a still hunt for the two men and found Whitley at his hotel, while Johnson was apprehended at the railway station. Whitley strenuously denied his guilt, but a tell-tale letter from his father in San Francisco, which contained the intelligence that he might see his father in the police of that city, but again things might be pretty warm for him, was sufficient proof that he was the man wanted. He is wanted in Fresno, California, on a charge of robbing the Walla Walla, Wash. Detective Cordano came to this city yesterday noon and after satisfying himself that the fellows were the ones he was after, he had Judge Nelson commit them to jail for the arrests and took his prisoners to Portland on last night's train. Although arresting law breakers is an every day occurrence with Chief Hallock, he is not usually credited with catching his victims so quickly. If any reward has been offered he will fall right to it.

CALIFORNIANS COMING. Personnel of the Several Crews—After Records. Thirty athletes, among them being the swimmers, oarsmen and jumpers from San Francisco and vicinity, will leave that city this morning for Astoria. The aim of the Californians is to bring along men who not only are good at the oar, but can also make a favorable showing in other athletic events. The crew of the Olympics, as definitely decided upon, will comprise, Arthur Bruman, No. 1; Dr. Axton, No. 2; Bailey, No. 3; F. J. Cherry, stroke. The Ariel crew will be composed of J. Keegan, stroke; E. Smith, afterwater; H. Foley, forwardwater; J. Noakes, bow. The Dolphin crew: Edward Kragness, No. 1; August Pape, No. 2; Geo. Baker, No. 3; Aleck Pape, stroke. Aleck Pape was substituted yesterday for Captain T. J. Kennedy, but it is probable that Keating will come along anyhow, and eventually take the place of August Pape as forwardwater. The Alameda crew is made up as follows: George Lewis, No. 1; Chester W. Ayres, No. 2; David Greenleaf, No. 3; F. W. Ayres, stroke. Great things are expected of the junior crew of the Ariels. They not only hope to win the coast junior championship, but the coast senior championship as well. The crew is coming here in tip top shape, with a new boat and expect to smash some of the Columbia river records. Besides the barge crews coming here will be J. A. Geddes and Snyder Crew, will swimmers; W. C. Poin, high diver, and E. C. Sternberg, oarsman. Aleck Pape will bring his shell, and George Baker and Edward Kragness will be seen in the skiff. Of the men for the field and track sports there will be Arthur Henley, Airtart, Harry Irwin, Cutter and F. W. Rogers. J. A. Geddes, who will act as coach for the Ariels, will give exhibitions in high and fancy diving. Geddes has long been noted as a swimmer and won many honors in games of water polo. Interest in San Francisco is centered in the junior race between the Ariels and Olympics first, and then a race between the Alamedas and Dolphins. The winner of the two races will then row for the championship. Odds are being wagered that the Ariels and Alamedas will be in the final race and that the Alamedas will win out.

best program ever arranged. Regatta Committee Issues the Official List of Events. THREE DAYS OF SPORTS. Nothing Done by Halves—All Kinds of Amusements to Accommodate the Public. The official program of the seventh annual regatta is one of the most attractive and interesting of its kind that has ever been prepared. Beginning with 9:30 Thursday morning until late Saturday afternoon visitors and residents will have all kinds of amusements to occupy their time. Nothing has been done by halves. The committee has worked diligently for many weeks and now feel confident that the consummation of their plans will meet the hearty approval of everyone, residents and visitors. OFFICIALS. Managing Committee—Charles H. Stockton, chairman; John C. McCus, secretary; R. G. Prasi, treasurer. Referee, M. M. Ringler, of the Portland Y. M. C. A. Judges at Finish—Arthur D. Marshall, Astoria; A. B. McAlpine, M. A. A. C.; R. C. F. Astbury, Astoria. Field Judges—C. N. McArthur, U. of O.; F. P. Kendall, Astoria; Al. Lean, Olympic Club and University of California. Time Keepers—Grant Trullinger, W. E. Tallant, J. H. Seymour. Starter—J. King, M. A. A. C. Announcer—Peter Grant, Portland. Marshal—D. A. McLean, C. T. Crosby, Alfred S. Tee, B. E. Carruthers, A. C. Callan. FIRST DAY. 9:30—The queen, attended by her maids of honor, and escorted by a guard of honor, will approach the grand stand, and after being introduced by her prime minister and welcomed by Governor T. T. Geer, on behalf of the state and Mayor Bergman, on behalf of the city, will declare the regatta formally opened. 10:15—Gasoline launch race, once around course, five to enter. First prize, silver cup, value \$75, donated by Union Gas Company. Second prize \$25. 10:30—Swimming race, for boys, 50 yards, prize. 10:30—Senior barge race, Dolphins vs. Alamedas. Gold medals. 10:40—Grand exhibition of high diving. 10:50—Single shell. Coast championship. Gold medal. 11:00—Tub race, Boys. Prize. 11:15—Senior outrigger skiff. First boat. 11:20—Free for all swimming race, 100 yds. Prize. 11:30—Double pleasure boat. First boat. 11:40—Exhibition of fancy swimming and life saving. Prof. Cahill, of Olympic Club of San Francisco, assisted by Mr. Pape. 11:50—Grand exhibition. Slack wire. Professor Bono. DINNER. 1:00—Columbia river fishing boats. Working rails. Fifteen to enter. Prizes valued at \$200. 1:10—Whitehall boats sailing race. Three to enter. Prizes \$25 and \$10. 1:20—Cat boat sailing race. Three to enter. Prizes \$20 and \$10. 1:30—Stoops, 20-footers. Once around course. Five to enter. Prizes \$60 and \$30. 1:40—Stoops. Free for all. Three to enter. Twice around course. First prize \$125; second, \$50; third, \$25. 1:50—Cannery tenders. Twice around. First prize, \$25; second, \$15. 2:00—Stoops. Once around. First prize, \$25; second, \$10. 2:15—Gressed pole contest. Prize. 2:30—Exhibition by Fort Canby life-saving crew. 2:40—Swimming race. 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