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THE MORNING ASTORIAN

TELEPHONE 661.

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TODAY'S WEATHER.

PORTLAND, Oct. 26.—Oregon, Washington and Idaho, occasional rain today.

AROUND TOWN.

John Edes arrived down from Portland yesterday.

T. S. Barr, of Grays river, was in the city yesterday.

A. Klein, of Salem, registered at the Occident yesterday.

Bar report: Wind, southwest, equality; bar, very rough.

Mrs. W. B. Hayden, of Ilwaco, is visiting in the city.

Will Madison has slightly improved from his attack of grip.

A new restaurant has been opened at 624 Commercial street.

T. J. Anderson, of Oysterville, arrived in the city last evening.

N. P. Sorenson is down on the Clatsop plains after ducks.

A. S. Douglas, of Stella, was in the city yesterday on business.

The city teachers' association meets this morning at 10 o'clock.

J. B. Hegarth, of Fort Stevens, arrived in the city last evening.

C. H. Rafferty, of Portland, was a visitor in Astoria yesterday.

John Henry, of Beaverton, was in Astoria on business yesterday.

Mrs. George O. Bailey, of Skamokawa, was in the city yesterday.

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

Al and James Babbidge returned last evening from a trip to Portland.

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

F. L. Ramsdell, of Portland, came down from that city last evening.

A. B. Richardson, of Portland, was in the city yesterday on business.

Captain Turnbull, of this city, is reported on his way home from Dawson.

Hon. C. E. S. Wood, of Portland, will address the Jeffersonian Club this evening.

W. B. Edwards, of Astoria, is on the road for the Oregon Sash & Door Company.

P. A. Trullinger was a passenger down on the train from Portland last evening.

August Kratz, former manager of the Louvre, arrived down on the train last evening.

City Attorney A. M. Smith returned last evening from a trip of several days up the river.

Fred Brown states that he is not managing the fight to be held at the Louvre this evening.

The gasoline schooner Antia will leave out for Nostucca and Siletz with a cargo of general merchandise today.

Wm. Davis and George Pease, of Portland, went down on the noon train yesterday to Clatsop plains after ducks.

The run of salmon has shown but slight increase under even the favorable conditions of the present rains and storm.

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The women mills at Dallas have been compelled to suspend operation on account of Eastern buyers calling in all orders until after election. This is the mills that were trying to get this city to furnish a large bonus if they would move the plant here.

A man by the name of O'Neil was arrested last evening down in Paradise Lost for abusing one of the lost ones. He was somewhat under the influence of the flowing bowl and was placed where he will keep out of mischief till the judge says how much.

Fish Commissioner F. C. Reed has returned from what will probably be his last trip for the season unless called out on special business. He has been on a trip up the Santiam near Albany this week to look after a complaint based upon a proposed obstruction to salmon in the river.

A notice from the light house board says San Francisco light vessel No. 70, moored three and one-quarter miles outside the bar, off the entrance to the harbor, will be temporarily withdrawn from her station on November 1 for repairs, and the station will be marked by a gas buoy showing a fixed white light.

A very pleasant social was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Turner on Commercial street last evening. Among those taking part in the program were Miss Foster and Miss Elmore in solos, and Miss Whalley in a reading. The funds raised were devoted to the patients in St. Mary's hospital.

Services as usual in the Presbyterian church tomorrow. In the morning the pastor will speak of the meetings of the Presbytery and synod held in Portland last week. Theme of the evening sermon, "The Glory of Young Men." There will be special music by the choir. A very cordial invitation is extended to all.

In the superior court at Walla Walla on Thursday Ed. Sutherland was found guilty of having attempted to commit rape on the person of Emma Kidwell. Soon after the jury was discharged, another was impaneled, and Sutherland again placed on trial for attempting to murder the girl after having failed in his attempt at rape.

Captains Bolles and Bulger, of San Francisco, inspectors of steam vessels, have rendered a decision in the matter of the recent collision between the steamer Columbia and the ferryboat Berkeley. It was found that the captains of both vessels did all that was possible to avert the collision. Both officers were exonerated from blame.

Rev. Isaac Peart, for the past year pastor of the First M. E. church of this city, expects to leave this morning for his new charge in Vermont. Mr. Peart has endeared himself to many of the people of Astoria, during his year's pastorate here, whose best wishes are for his happiness and success follow him to his work in the new field.

Dodwell & Company and the Alaska Steamship Company are having a fierce race war on the steamers plying between Victoria and Seattle. Dodwell & Company are operating two steamers and the Alaska Steamship Company one and the former company is attempting to drive the latter off the run. The present rate is fifty cents between the two ports.

The Astoria football team for 1900 organized at a meeting held last evening in the armory and elected the following officers: Captain, Chester Fox; vice-captain, Dan Allen; manager, Geo. Ohler. Among the fellows who will constitute the team are Young, Cassell, Barker, of the '99 Stanford University freshmen eleven, Allen, Painter, Miner and Fletcher. The first practice will take place Sunday at 2:30 p. m.

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The Louvre, under the efficient management of Mr. Charles Weisenstein, will be more attractive than ever. Mr. Weisenstein has secured the following artists who will present an excellent program each evening: Miss Maude Raphael, the celebrated pianist and accompanist; Miss Alice Sprague in serenade song, and Miss Rita Gardner, in song and dance.

Services as usual in the Swedish Lutheran church on Sunday. In the morning the service is in the Swedish language. In the evening it is in English. Subject, "When I am weak, then am I strong." Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Everybody most cordially invited to attend these services. The confirmation class meets in the church on Saturday, Sept. 20, at 1 o'clock.

M. S. Bounds returned yesterday from the Klondike district, where he has been for the past three years. He is in the best of health, is several pounds heavier than when he left here, and, although, like many others, he did not make a fortune, he did fairly well. Mr. Bounds has several claims on Bonanza creek but whether or not they will amount to anything is a question. He has not decided whether he will return north in the spring or not.

The southwest gale yesterday moderated toward evening and shifted more to the north, and a rising of the barometer seemed to indicate that the storm would soon abate in violence. Although the wind was quite fresh here in the city it was not nearly as strong as at Seaside, where for the greater part of the day it was almost impossible to make one's way along the street, such was the force of the gale. The bar was exceedingly rough all day and no craft ventured to cross either in or out. No reports of serious damage have as yet reached the city.

F. E. Nordyke, of the Wide, Hollow district, near North Yakima, has been experimenting in the growing of peanuts. He planted one-half acre in the Virginia nuts this season, and has made a success in growing some fine specimens. The grower is a confectioner, and will use the entire crop in the manufacture of home candies. The crop matured thoroughly and the nuts are of the finest flavor. The experiment will open up a new agricultural avenue for small farmers and market gardeners, and Yakima valley may become one of the great peanut growing districts of the northwest.

Superintendent J. D. Lee, of the Oregon state penitentiary, has filed his report for the quarter ending Sept. 30, showing the number of prisoners under care, and the statistics on earnings, receipts and expenditures of the big institution. The report shows a big decrease in the number of prisoners under care, while the expenditures are higher than usual, owing to the construction of the new wing, and other improvements now under way, on which large payments have been made. Following is a portion of the report: Number of convicts close this quarter, 273; number of convicts close last quarter, 297; decrease during quarter, 24; received during quarter, 14; discharged during quarter, 38.

Andrew Olsen, of Hayseth, who refused to allow the surveying party to cross the land occupied by him at that place, and was arrested by order of the county court and brought to the city on Thursday, appeared before the court yesterday morning and pleaded not guilty of any intention of using violence, and stated that he only wished to protect the land which he leased from Mr. Hayseth, from invasion. He stated that he did not understand that the surveyors had a right to prosecute such survey without permission from owners. He was released upon his own recognizance to appear before the commissioners court at their next session on November 7th. Should another case occur, however, it is probable that the offenders will be summarily dealt with.

A rousing Republican meeting was held at the school house in Uppertown last evening. H. D. Gray, secretary of the central committee, presided, and John McCue introduced the speaker of the evening, Hon. John C. Leasure, who gave, without doubt, the ablest exposition of the fallacious theories of Bryan and his followers that has yet been heard in this section of the state. He showed very clearly that the only way the present prosperity of the country could possibly be maintained was by the continuing of the present administration and the hearty and unqualified support of the Republican ticket. There was a large and enthusiastic crowd present. On Friday of next week, October 26, Governor T. T. Geer will be present and will address the voters of the city.

A. B. Hammond has just returned from California, where he has been inspecting the Eureka and Klamath River railroad, which he recently bought from the Vance family of Eureka, together with the latter's big sawmill and timber interests. About thirty miles of the

road are in operation. It runs from Samsa, which is just across the bay from Eureka, by way of Arcata up into the Mad River country. Mr. Hammond intends to extend it by the way of Trinidad to Crescent City. A branch line starts from Arcata and runs around the head of the bay to the city limits of Eureka. The Eel River and California and Northern roads are fighting to prevent Hammond from getting into Eureka. The California and Northern is the enterprise of San Francisco and Nevada capitalists. The road, which is now in process of construction, is to run from Eureka to Crescent City and develop a great timber region. Through an arrangement with the Eel River Company it has an entrance into and through Eureka.

Editor Henry F. Cassidy, of the Baker City Herald, who was arrested upon a charge of criminally libelling Promoter Letson Balliet, of Oregon Ore Reduction Works fame, had a hearing in the justice court Thursday, and waived examination. He was released on \$500 bonds, which, it is reported, were furnished through local representatives of E. J. Godfrey, the Red Boy magnate. The county judge has evidently decided to take no notice of the Herald's ignoring his injunction and the matter will probably be dropped. Balliet's friends say that the getting out of the injunction was "a technical blunder," which probably means, as attorneys outside of those employed in the case consider such an injunction a straining of an extraordinary remedy, which courts are generally chary of granting.

J. Fursey, who was formerly connected with a salmon cannery in this city, has just returned from California, where he has superintended a cannery on the Sacramento river. He says that the pack this season on the river was 15,000 cases, or 500 tons, which was below the average. The company which employed him packed 40 tons of green fish. The California salmon are smaller than those caught on the Columbia, averaging about twenty-one pounds each. Neither are the fish considered of as good a quality as those from Oregon, and they sell for a smaller price in the Eastern market. They are caught in the Sacramento river with nets. The open seasons are in the spring for three months and in the fall for six weeks. The season closed this fall on September 10, although the fish were running well at the time and a large catch could have been made by the fishermen.

The recent improvements in Tillamook harbor add another point in favor of the extension of the Seaside railroad to that point. Tributary to Tillamook are immense bodies of fir, spruce and cedar, which in time will be manufactured and shipped either by rail or water. The extension of the Seaside railroad through Tillamook county will open up one of the greatest timber belts in Oregon. Eastern holders control large blocks of timber land in Tillamook county, which they have been holding in some cases from ten to fifteen years. The timber was bought cheap and it is being held for investment. There is no point in Oregon where there are more natural advantages for lumbering than in Tillamook county. The greatest difficulty to be contended with in the past, has been the difficulty of securing boats suitable for that trade. The bar will accommodate vessels drawing about eleven feet, loaded. The present lumber output of Tillamook bay is about one million feet per month, and the indications are that this output will be doubled for the coming year. The principal lumber manufactured at present is spruce which finds a ready market in San Francisco for box making.

MUST HAVE CORK HELMETS. Army officers were considerably surprised at reading dispatches of the sufferings of the American troops in China, from the heat, on account of their hats. It was the belief that the regiments sent to China had been equipped with cork helmets and that their campaign hats had been discarded. The heat of the sun is dangerous, but overheating of the digestive organs is even more so. To overcome irritation and other stomach troubles there is nothing to equal Hoettter's Stomach Bitters. No matter how long you have suffered from constipation, indigestion, dyspepsia, liver and kidney troubles, the Bitters will cure you. It also creates a hearty appetite and is an excellent tonic for the nerves. Try it.

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