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THE MORNING ASTORIAN

TELEPHONE 661.

All contracts for advertising in the Astorian are made on a guarantee of circulation four times larger than that of any paper published or circulated in Clatsop county.

TODAY'S WEATHER.

PORTLAND, Oct. 23.—Western Oregon and Washington, occasional rain; Eastern Oregon, probably fair and warmer; Eastern Washington and Idaho, increasing cloudiness today.

AROUND TOWN.

Miss Annie Johnson and sister, of Knappa, were in the city yesterday.

Sam Lotan, of Portland, is registered at the Occident.

Nate Peters, of Chehalis, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Clara Welch has returned from a visit in Portland.

D. Heckard, of Lewis and Clark was in the city yesterday.

J. A. Bender and wife, of Knappa, are in Astoria on a visit.

Judge McGuire, of Seaside, is seriously ill with heart failure.

Captain Dolg, the Nehalem rancher, was in the city yesterday.

Captain Al Anderson, of Westport, was in the city yesterday.

John Selmas is now superintendent of the box factory at Seaside.

The steam schooner Alliance is due this morning from Coos bay.

Otto Schuman, of Portland, was in the city on business yesterday.

W. J. Ingalls, of Chadwell, was in the city on business yesterday.

Best 15-cent meal, Rising Sun Restaurant, 613 Commercial street.

The steam schooner Alliance is due in this morning from Coos bay.

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

N. Posten, general agent of the Pacific Coast Company is in the city.

V. M. Shick and wife, of Athena, are registered at the Parker House.

The steamer Sue H. Elmore will leave out for Tillamook this morning.

Day Officer Kimball was a passenger up on the Bailey Gatzert last evening.

George Malar will leave this morning for Portland, where he will attend college.

The steamer State of California arrived from San Francisco early yesterday morning.

William Niemi, a native of Russia, was admitted to citizenship in county court yesterday.

All kinds of silver and gold plating done on short notice, by A. Hirveta, 424 Commercial street.

Chas. Brown, of Peterson & Brown, returned on the noon train yesterday from a trip to Portland.

Thomas Norton, of Portland, has accepted a position in the auditor's office of the A. & C. R. R.

Pure Whiskey Harper, Perfect Whiskey Harper, Every bottle guaranteed Harper. Sold by Foard & Stokes Co., Astoria, Or.

If you are not already a patron of the Occident Hotel barber shop you will not regret giving it a trial. Baths in connection.

Charles Wise has returned from a trip to Arizona and California. He came from San Francisco on the State yesterday morning.

J. D. Farrell, president and manager of the Pacific Coast Company, arrived from San Francisco yesterday on the State of California.

H. A. Dillon and L. Allehoff, of Allen & Lewis' cigar department, were in the city yesterday on business connected with the firm.

Cream Pure Rye, America's finest whiskey. The only pure goods; guaranteed rich and mellow. JOHN L. CARLSON, Sole Agent.

Miss Corinne Hanson started yesterday morning for Portland, where she will study to become a trained nurse at the Good Samaritan hospital.

Theo Bracker sells cigars and tobacco to the tobacco dealers at Portland jobbing prices, in quantities to suit their trade, 515 Commercial St.

A dance will be given by the Foresters of America on Wednesday evening October 24, at Foard and Stokes' hall. Tickets 75c; ladies with escort free.

Astoria visitors to Portland can obtain copies of the Daily Astorian at the news stands of B. B. Rich, Fifth and Morrison streets and Hotel Portland.

The funeral of the late S. T. McKean will be held this morning. Services at the Presbyterian church at 10:45. The interment will be at the old Clatsop cemetery and will be private.

A number of the local Democrats went yesterday to attend a meeting held at Cathlamet. Governor John H. Rogers and Hon. J. T. Ronald were the speakers.

The coast steamers Fulton and Despatch are still in port. They made the attempt yesterday to cross out, but on account of rough weather were forced to put back.

For Rent—Newly furnished rooms, with or without board, in private dwelling. Apply Mrs. J. A. Ellis, formerly of Seaside, at 617 Franklin avenue, cor. Fifteenth St.

The three-masted coasting schooner Webfoot arrived in from San Francisco yesterday morning and was towed up to Knappa where she will load lumber for the return trip.

J. R. Clinton returned yesterday morning to Portland, after a visit of a few days in this city. He is at present connected with the General Electric Company in that place.

Captain Randall, of the steamer Elder, will make two more trips on the steamer and will then resume charge of the Wallula. Chief Engineer Hughes has returned to the Wallula.

Arthur D. Marshall, late in the auditor's office of the A. & C. R. R., left with his family last evening on the Bailey Gatzert for Portland, where he expects to go into business.

The barkentine Tam O'Shanter sailed in over the bar yesterday morning and up the north channel to Knappa. She is from San Francisco and will load lumber at the Columbia mill.

The unveiling of the Williams' monument at Greenwood Sunday had to be postponed on account of the storm that raged all day. The ceremonies will take place next Sunday instead.

The city board of equalization will meet on Thursday to hear objections to the assessment made for the improvement of Franklin avenue between Thirty-first street and the claim line.

Curtis E. Bowers has been awarded \$5000 damage in his suit against the Star Lumbering and Logging Company, in Columbia county. Bowers lost an arm while working on a logging train for the company last March.

E. H. Gamage, an old steamboat captain, for many years master of the steamer Canby, has returned from a trip to Alaska. He has been in the city for a couple of days and will leave this morning for South Bend, where his people reside.

C. R. Donohue, purser of the Bailey Gatzert, has left the company and his place will be filled by Steve McDonald. Mr. McDonald was for a long time bookkeeper for the company at Portland. Mr. Donohue made his last trip Saturday night.

The British ship Dechmont, Elston, master, arrived down the river yesterday afternoon at one o'clock and cleared at the custom house. She is bound for Queenstown or Falmouth for orders and carries 100,533 bushels wheat, valued at \$61,305.

The four-masted bark, W. J. Pirrie, Jenkins, master, cleared at the custom house yesterday afternoon for Queenstown or Falmouth for orders, valued at \$83,155 on board. She arrived down the river at 1 p. m. yesterday.

The British bark Galgate, which sailed from the Columbia river on June 21, reported out at Queenstown, Saturday. She is the second vessel of the June fleet to report out, and she made the run in 119 days. With the exception of the Finmore, which went out in 114 days, the Galgate's run is the best that has been made for some time, and goes a long way toward bringing the average trips down to a good figure. The Galgate is the vessel that came across from Shanghai last spring in 37 days.

The steamer Palatina from the Orient arrived off the mouth of the river yesterday morning, and received sealed orders, which were taken out by the tug Wallula. After receiving the orders the Palatina sailed northward probably for the Sound to load lumber.

The office of the I. R. & N. Co., on the Telephone dock, was formally abandoned last evening and the boats will leave from the O. B. & N. dock today morning this evening. D. M. Goulter will retain charge of the business of that branch for the balance of the month at least.

The German ship Olga, from Santa Rosalia, arrived in port yesterday morning. She arrived in before her sailing date had been announced. Her mizzen topmast is missing, having been blown away during a storm off Cape Horn. A new stick will probably be put in before she leaves this port.

George T. Meyer, the veteran and pioneer salmon cannery of the Columbia river and still later of Puget sound, says that the fall pack on the Sound is as discouraging as was the spring catch. He also says that cold-storage and fresh fish fishermen are bidding well for chums, which is against canners.

It is stated that James O'Connell, who has been connected with a Portland grocery firm for several months past, has received an offer of his old position with Foard & Stokes and will accept it the first of the month. Mr. O'Connell is a popular salesman and his many friends here will be pleased with his decision to return.

Rev. J. Jacobson, pastor of the Norwegian M. E. church, has resigned his charge and has been succeeded by Rev. J. Olson. Mr. Jacobson will leave today for Portland, where he will assume the editorship of the Norwegian paper called the "Vidnesbyrdet." He has been connected with church work in Astoria during the past five years.

M. H. McCall, of Knappa, was in the city yesterday and left up on the evening train for Portland. He came over to meet a friend who came in on the State of California from San Francisco but the steamer pulled out up the river just before Mr. McCall reached here, so he was forced to go on up to Portland to meet his friend.

The Oregon Short Line has commenced work on a most important contract in Clear river canyon. New steel bridges will supplant the old high wooden trestles in the canyon which for years have been sights of interest to passengers. It was at first thought that the trestles would be filled in, but the steel bridges were found to be superior, so they were ordered.

Mrs. Twilight, mother of the unfortunate young man who was so seriously injured at Warrenton recently, is at Rainier, gravitated by the shock of the terrible accident to her and is receiving every attention from her friends. Harry is rapidly recovering at the St. Mary's hospital here. He is cheerful and is endeavoring to make the best of a pretty tough situation.

A lively row took place at the Richmond yesterday afternoon. A couple of strangers tried to run the place for a change and in the fracas that followed the largest of the two strangers drew a knife on Paddy Lynch, who promptly seized the man's wrist and shook the knife from his hand and gave him a drubbing he will probably remember.

Miss Jennie Ethel Stewart, of 432 East Seventh street, Portland, took carbolic acid with suicidal intent last Friday, and died shortly afterwards. An attempt has been made to keep the matter secret, and those who took part in holding the coroner's inquest were pledged to not reveal what they knew. The verdict was "suicide resulting from dependency."

On Friday, at 3 p. m., the first regular monthly rhetorical for the present school year will be held at the high school. Though these exercises are a part of the regular school work and designed for the entertainment of the public, they will be of an interesting character, and friends of the pupils who may care to attend will be welcomed. Those taking part will be members of the senior class.

Laborers who worked on the boat Klickitat, belonging to the Central Navigation & Construction Company, will receive their money at once, as it was paid over to their attorney James Gleason, at Portland, yesterday morning by order of the court. There is remaining some \$1570 to be divided among the other creditors, who have filed claims which aggregate \$30,000.

The salmon market is stronger than ever. The demand from Europe is so strong that shipments are being made to the East for transportation. Alaska red (new pack) is quoted at 1.20 in carload lots, medium reds, 1.10; pink, 95c per dozen. Columbia river chinook, 1.70 per doz for tails, and 1.85 for flats; red sockeye, 1.10 tails, 1.45; 1.10 flats; 1.25 red cohoes; 1.10 tails, 1.10 flats, 1.15. Arrivals from Alaska at San Francisco, with 7,007 cases for Hume Bros. and the Indiana, with 50,400 cases for the Alaska Packers' Association.

No trace has been found of 9-year-old Jack Adams although an unremitted search has been kept up since early Saturday morning. Chief Hallock telegraphed to San Francisco to have the steamer Columbia searched upon her arrival as it was thought the boy might possibly have stolen on board her during her stop here that morning. Yesterday a freshly broken plank was found in the decayed planks across the track from the Miller dock, where the lad went to deliver the meat on board that boat, and the river beneath was dragged and several dynamite cartridges exploded underneath the water, but no sign of the missing lad was found.

Pears'

To keep the skin clean is to wash the excretions from it off; the skin takes care of itself inside, if not blocked outside.

To wash it often and clean, without doing any sort of violence to it, requires a most gentle soap, a soap with no free alkali in it.

Pears', the soap that clears but not excoriates. All sorts of stores sell it, especially druggists; all sorts of people use it.

Judge Milton Elliott died at his home on Fifteenth street at 8 o'clock Sunday morning, of old age. He was 53 years of age and had resided in Astoria for 29 years. He was born in Virginia in 1815 and came to Oregon in the early '40s. He remained in excellent health until within a very few days, and was about town scarcely more than a week ago. He practiced law in his earlier years quite extensively, and later dealt largely in real estate. He is survived by but one relative as far as is known, on the Coast, a sister, Miss Olivia Elliott, who resided with him, and who is nearly 80 years of age. The funeral services will take place tomorrow morning and will be conducted by Rev. W. S. Short. The interment takes place in Hillside cemetery.

Harry Standoff, a deckhand on the Gatzert, was drowned Saturday night. The boat was between the A. & C. dock and Tongue Point when the young man was sent out on the guards to raise the fenders and in some way, the guards being wet with rain, he slipped overboard. Warned by his cries the boat was stopped, a life buoy thrown out, the search light brought into use, but all to no effect. Nothing could be found of the missing man and the search had to be abandoned. Nothing can be learned as to where the young man belonged. Among his effects were found a money order receipt where he had sent some money to California, and a telegram bearing the name "Standoff," although he gave his name to the mate as "Standoff."

Governor Geer has returned to his home after a week spent in a campaign tour of the state of Idaho. He says the outlook is favorable for a Republican success this year, despite the result of four years ago. In an interview with a Salem paper he stated that the Silver Republicans are practically all back with their party and are working enthusiastically for the re-election of McKinley. Fusion is unsatisfactory to many of the opposition and there is a noticeable lack of enthusiasm among them. As to the national outlook, the governor said: "It is my opinion that McKinley will be elected by a larger electoral vote than in 1896. Conditions are better throughout the country and a feeling of contentment and satisfaction prevails everywhere. Bryan's campaign is neither so strong nor so dignified as that of 1896, and he does not impress the people so favorably as his earnest appeals did at that time. He began the campaign on imperialism, and soon found it necessary to abandon that and take up militarism and is now discussing trusts. His party is on record as opposing national legislation on trusts, presumably for the reason that it would interfere with the rights of the states and, if, as the members of his party asserted in congress, it is a state matter, then it is out of place in a national campaign. Bryan's recent assertion that if he is defeated he will be due to the corruption of voters, is a direct equivalent to saying they are for sale. The intelligence of the American people can be relied upon to see the necessity of voting for McKinley."

GEORGIA SHOWERS. The Georgia shower is a peculiar one, and sometimes a single day has a score of them. It is on you before you know it. For a few moments the lightning flashes, the thunder rolls and the rain falls, and it is apt to cease as suddenly. Out comes the sun again as smiling and serene as though no great damage had been done to the crops. There is something else that comes on one unawares, and that is dyspepsia. Many people have suffered years from this complaint, because they have allowed indigestion, constipation and biliousness to become chronic. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters should be taken at the first sign of indigestion. It will strengthen your stomach and produce sound sleep, and good health must naturally follow.

ADVERTISED LETTERS. List of letters remaining uncalled for in the postoffice at Astoria, Oregon: Burch, Chs. Lawson, Arthur; Bailey, K. R. Lent, Lettie; Carlson, John Penttila, F. M.; Cook, C. W. Ringler, M. M.; Dickson, W. Simon, John; Hamilton, Mrs. B. Snook, Y. H.; Hamilton, W. S. Stevenson, Tom; Hutchings, Chs. E. Scott, Maude; Johnson, P. F. Vainby, David; Morris, H. O. Wilson, Carl H.; Olsen, Anna. Yoder, Jas. M.

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A SIGNIFICANT VISIT.

President Mellen of the Northern Pacific and President Hammond of the A. & C. R. R. in the City.

President C. S. Mellen, of the Northern Pacific, and President A. B. Hammond, of the A. & C. R. R., arrived down from Portland yesterday morning in a private car. They went over to Flavel and Fort Stevens and returned to Astoria in the afternoon. Mr. Mellen stated to an Astorian reporter that the trip was purely one of pleasure and that he came down here as the guest of Mr. Hammond.

Mr. Hammond has just returned from a trip to California, where he has been looking after the interests of his immense purchase of red-wood timber. He also has a short railroad connected with the timber interests and although he is meeting with considerable opposition on the extension of the road into Eureka, says he proposes to operate it.

When asked of the talked-of extension of the Seaside division below Tillamook, he stated that if a stone quarry containing the proper material and a sufficient quantity of it to supply the jetty to be constructed at Fort Stevens could be located below Tillamook Head he would extend the road.

President Mellen is contemplating extensive improvements at either Seattle or Tacoma, as the terminal facilities of his railroad are inadequate for the great amount of wheat and shipping business conducted at present, and he will probably order the work done before his return East. It is thought that perhaps Mr. Mellen's trip to Portland and down the Columbia may have something to do with the Paul Mohr portage road, although he declined to discuss the question. He expects to leave for the East today.

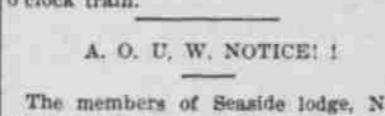
Although the trip was one of pleasure, as Mr. Mellen stated he had been to this city but once before, some thirteen years ago, the visit of the two railroad magnates can hardly be without some significance and the outcome is to be watched with considerable interest. Mr. Hammond and Mr. Mellen returned to Portland last evening, the car being attached to the regular 6 o'clock train.

A. O. U. W. NOTICE: The members of Seaside Lodge, No. 12, A. O. U. W., are hereby notified to meet at their lodge room on Tuesday morning, Oct. 23, at the hour of 10 a. m., to attend the funeral of our late brother, S. T. McKean. Roll call at 10:15 a. m. sharp. By order of JOHN A. MONTGOMERY, Master Workman. F. D. WINTON, Recorder, Pro Tem.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. Columbia River Packers Association to Emhart & Cook—tract of land in Columbia river known as "Jim Crow" sands, quitclaim; \$15,000. Grimes Grove Land Co. to Eugenia Henry—lot 13, block 4, Grimes Grove; \$75. E. Malagamba and wife to William Niemi—lot 11, block 19, Taylor's; \$700.

NOTICE. The members of the Pioneer and Historical Society are requested to meet at Pohl's undertaking rooms, on Wednesday, Oct. 24th, 1900, at 1:30 p. m., to attend the funeral of Judge Milton Elliott, a pioneer of 1848, which will be held in Grace Episcopal church at 2 p. m. Interment in vault at Hillside cemetery. T. B. MORRISON, President.

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J. H. LOTHEROP, General Agent, 125 Third St., Portland, Or.

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It is Incontrovertible! The Editor of the "Christian Million," under the heading of General Notes, on August 20, 1896, wrote: "A good article will stand upon its own merits, and we may rely upon it that nothing will continue long which does not, in a more or less degree, harmonize with the statements which are published concerning it." Mr. Hall Calne, Author of "The Deemster," "The Manzan," "The Christian," etc., when speaking on "Criticisms," recently said: "When a thing that is advertised greatly is good it goes and goes permanently; when it is bad, it only goes for a while; the public finds it out." The Proprietor of BEECHAM'S PILLS has said over and over again: "It is a fallacy to imagine that anything will sell just because it is advertised. How many nostrums have been started with glare and snuffed out in gloom? The fact is, a man is not easily gulled a second time; and every dissatisfied purchaser does ten times more harm than one satisfied does good. Accordingly the sale of more than 6,000,000 boxes of BEECHAM'S PILLS per annum, after a public trial of half-a-century, is a conclusive testimony of their popularity, acceptability and proved worth." Beecham's Pills have for many years been the popular family medicine wherever the English language is spoken, and they are sold without a trial. In bottles, six each, and six each each, at all drug stores.