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TODAY'S WEATHER.

PORTLAND, Nov. 21.—Western Oregon, generally fair, probably colder in the southern portion. Western Washington fair, warmer except in northwestern portion, warmer Thursday. Eastern Oregon and Southern Idaho, occasional snow, continued cold. Eastern Washington and Northern Idaho, occasional snow, probably warmer on Thursday.

AROUND TOWN.

Mr. F. Wolfe, of San Francisco, is in Astoria. Mr. W. H. Wood, of East Astoria, is seriously ill. A. R. Powers, of Knappa, was in the city yesterday. James Nagle was over from Frankfort yesterday. L. A. Miller, of Nahcotta, was in the city yesterday. The French bark Europe was towed to sea yesterday. M. J. Kinney came down from Portland yesterday. The down train was about 15 minutes late last evening. Mrs. J. Adams, of Knappa, was in the city yesterday. Bar report: Wind, northeast, light; clear; bar, smooth. Albert Dawson, of Warrenton, was in the city yesterday. John Fox has returned from a short visit to the Sound. M. P. Callender was over from Knappa yesterday. M. Both, the Rainier canneryman, was in the city yesterday. Mrs. W. W. Rudehalsch has returned home from Portland. BEST 15-CENT MEAL: RISING SUN RESTAURANT.

Miss Laura E. Pegg, of Grays river, is in Astoria on a visit. Walter Jackson, of Portland, was at the Occident yesterday. Manager O'Neil, of the Occident, is visiting at Oregon City. P. F. Halferly, of Selmon, was in Astoria yesterday morning. F. R. Stokes returned yesterday from a business trip to Portland. Senator J. G. Meier, of Brookfield, is registered at the Occident. C. C. McDonald, a San Francisco traveling man, is in the city. Best 15-cent meal, Rising Sun Restaurant, 612 Commercial street. J. M. Nelson, of Cathlamet, was in Astoria yesterday on business. Jeff's restaurant—the largest and best. A trial will convince you. James Thompson, of Knappa, was in the city yesterday on business. Mrs. Sarah Ross has returned from a short visit with friends in Portland. Hugh McCormick, of Youngs river, was in the city on business yesterday. Mrs. C. H. Bain, of McMinnville, is in the city, visiting her son, C. E. Bain. James Burke and Bartholomew Burke of Seaside were in the city yesterday. J. H. Minier, of Seaside, was registered at the Parker House yesterday. Miss Clara Welch has gone to Portland, where she will spend the winter. Robert Gibson, of the News, left yesterday on a three weeks' trip to the East. There is very little improvement in the condition of A. L. Friend at the hospital. Mr. and Mrs. George M. Franke, of San Francisco, are guests at the Occident. Mrs. W. R. Marlon and Miss Ella Mills, of Bay Center, are visiting in the city. Ladies! The Occident Barber Shop makes a specialty of children's fine hair cutting. The schooner W. F. Jewett sailed from San Francisco for Astoria on Monday. The British ship Marlon Lightbody was towed up the river yesterday morning. She is in command of Captain Cordner, a distant relative of Pilot Cordner, and she has on board a nephew of the latter.

Frank Shields, of the Standard Oil Company, was in the city yesterday on business. The British ship, Gildemester sailed from Yokohama for this port on November 15. The Oriental liner Monmouthshire cleared from Hong Kong for this port on Monday. C. F. Overbaugh, traveling freight agent of the O. R. & N., was in the city yesterday. Alvin Johnson, of Eugene, ex-sheriff of Lane county, was in the city yesterday on a visit. Noble Ellsworth, who runs the large logging camp at Nasel, was in the city yesterday on business. Mrs. J. G. Hunter expects to leave next Monday for San Jose, Cal., where she will spend the winter. Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Noonan left yesterday morning for Vancouver, Wash., for a brief visit with friends. The Bazaar! Holiday goods, bamboo furniture, ladies' underwear and notions; 581 Commercial street. Miss Mabel Bigney, formerly captain of the Salvation Army of this city, is visiting friends in this city for a few days. Cream Pure Ice, America's finest whiskeys. The only pure goods, guaranteed rich and mellow. JOHN A. CARLSON, Sole Agent. The tug Peoria was finally launched at Tacoma on Sunday. She failed to slide off the ways in an attempt to launch her on Saturday. According to reports brought by late Alaska steamers, the Yukon closed at Dawson November 2 and travel over the ice has already begun. The coast steamer Alliance left out yesterday for San Francisco and coast points. Her principal cargo consists of lumber for San Francisco. Roslyn coal lasts longer, is cleaner and makes less trouble with stoves and chimneys than any other. George W. Sanborn, agent. Telephone 1311. The tenth annual meeting of the Oregon Bar Association convened in the courtroom of the United States circuit court at Portland yesterday morning. Theo. Bracker sells cigars and tobacco to the tobacco dealers at Portland. He is in charge of the business and sells his trade, 515 Commercial street. Sixty thousand machinists will be affected by the new 34-hour work-day that went into effect on Monday, in accordance with the National Trades' Association. Of Interest to Ladies—Send your address to Safford Co. box 100, Portland, Ore., and we will mail you description of an article every woman should possess. Mayor Bergman yesterday afternoon signed the ordinance passed by the council appropriating \$41.85 for the benefit of S. Normie, for the improvement of the crossings on Thirty-eighth street. The West Shore Mills Company are preparing a large illuminated sign to be placed on the Third street side of their office in the Flavel building. The sign will read "Electricity, Gas, Fuel," and will contain about three hundred incandescent lights. The Ladies' Guild of Grace church will have a tea at Mrs. Martin Paard's residence on Seventeenth street this afternoon. The ladies will have handkerchiefs and other small articles for sale. A cordial invitation is extended to all. W. A. Kuetemeyer's trial on the charge of the murder of William Lundruff, his step-father, began yesterday morning before Judge George at Portland. Kuetemeyer's line of defense will be that the deed was committed in self-defense. An exceptionally pleasant occasion was the dance given last evening in Hanthorn's hall in honor of Mr. Lawrence Westdahl, of the U. S. coast and geodetic survey steamer McArthur, now at Seattle. About twenty-five couples were present. The German bark Arnold, Captain Paeken, which sailed from Victoria, June 7, carrying 82,617 feet of lumber for Newcastle, has been posted as overdue and 10 per cent reinsurance is being paid on her. The Arnold is an iron vessel of 826 tons, built in 1865, and sails from Elsfleth, Germany. The annual bazaar given by the ladies of the Presbyterian church, will be held Friday evening, November 23, at 7:30 o'clock, in the basement of the church. Beside the fancy articles, there will be for sale home made cakes, jellies, pickles, etc. Refreshments will also be served during the evening. The table of the salmon pack of Puget sound that appeared in yesterday's Astorian and for which we are indebted to the Seattle Trade Register, was incorrect in one particular—that of the pack of George & Barker's cannery, which we are informed was \$2,000 cases (instead of 15,000, as stated in the table). The suit of Constable Kelly vs. E. L. Geddes was tried before a jury in Justice Brower's court on Monday. The suit was over certain monies alleged to have been collected by defendant while in plaintiff's employ and not accounted for in report of day's business. The jury rendered a verdict of not guilty. The hoodoo that has seemed to be upon the Robert Dollar is evidently still in force. Late yesterday afternoon, while tying at the dock by the Pacific Sheet Metal Works, where she has been discharging a portion of her cargo of coal, she broke loose and drifted clear below the Sealock cannery before an anchor could be dropped overboard and her progress stayed. It could not be learned last evening whether the accident was caused by her cable parting or the dock giving way. A portion of her steam pipes were in Portland to be repaired or replaced and she had no steam up, thus having to depend entirely upon her anchor. The Dollar was loaded with 1500 tons of coal on the Sound for San Francisco and encountered heavy seas and considerable water. When off the mouth of the Columbia some of her steam pipes had become slightly damaged and it was thought advisable to put in here and take out a portion of her cargo and make necessary repairs. She expected to unload about 200 tons of coal, and it is thought had not taken out over half that amount when the accident occurred. She will probably be brought back to the dock today to finish her work.

DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE. 5 & 10c PACKAGES. If not handled by your druggist DELIVERED FREE UPON RECEIPT OF PRICE. 863 BROADWAY, NEW YORK.

Sheriff Linville and Constable Kelly went to Portland yesterday morning to plead in the case for which they were placed under arrest about a month ago. It will be remembered they were arrested for taking several sailors off one of the ships here in the harbor while the ship was in charge of a U. S. marshal. They were admitted to \$500 bail each, and went to the metropolis yesterday to answer to the charge.

The delegates from this city to the grand lodge of the United Finnish Brotherhood of the World at San Francisco have returned. They were Fred Wickman, John Tokka and Charles Lait. Two of them were honored with the highest office in the organization, Fred Wickman elected president, and John Tokka secretary. The election of these two will cause all the business of the brotherhood to be transacted here.

Frederick H. Kinsey, one of the regular trial jurors for the November term, and one of the jurors drawn yesterday morning in the Kuetemeyer murder case, at Portland, died suddenly within five minutes of taking his seat in the jury box. Mr. Kinsey seemed to be taken with a fit of some kind at first, and was carried hurriedly to the clerk's office of Judge George's courtroom, where an attempt was made to relieve him. It was unsuccessful, as death followed the attack.

The Norwegian steamship Universe arrived in port yesterday morning from San Francisco. She encountered heavy head winds nearly all of the time during her trip up the coast and took five days in which to reach this port. She is a peculiar looking craft, sort of a semi-whaleback. She left up the river at noon, where she is under charter to the Oregon & Oriental Steamship Company, to load flour for Vladivostok. She brings a partial cargo from San Francisco for the same port.

The government transport Seward, the troop ship which served in Alaskan waters all last summer as General Randall's dispatch boat and recently returned to Seattle, is to be put out of commission during the coming week, and prepared for a general overhaul, and probably extensive repairs. Orders to that effect have been received by Major Ruhlin from the quartermaster general, the intention of the department being to retire the Seward until spring, when she will be returned to the Alaskan service.

Tacoma and the Sound generally has been struck with a blizzard and is in the throes of a little Klondike weather for a change. About eight inches of snow has fallen. Weather Observer Hobbs, that exacting meteorologist, reports for the 24 hours following Saturday as "rain with southerly winds," but there was a hitch in proceedings somewhere and the southerly winds failed to materialize. In fact the winds were northerly with a large N and he doesn't seem to be enjoying the game of "freeze-out," and has a grievance against the bureau for not furnishing weather to suit his predictions.

An important fact that nearly every one who has anything to say on the question of granting common point rates to Astoria, seems to overlook, is that the distances from the wheat regions and the wheat centers of Walla Walla and Pendleton, to Astoria and to Seattle and Tacoma are almost exactly the same. This, together with the great advantage to this city of a water level grade all the way, only adds to the enormity of the crime of discriminating against Astoria. It is against the natural order of things and it only awaits the time when the question is thoroughly understood and fairly judged, when Astoria will be vindicated in her claims.

With the "Uncle Spruceby" Company, which comes to Fisher's opera house next Saturday, is the celebrated "Spruceby" orchestra of twelve soloists. This musical organization has a world-wide reputation and is under the direction of a talented leader and composer of notes. A very popular program is rendered between the acts. Two big bands are carried by this company, and a novel unique parade is given at noon daily and includes a concert by the combined bands. A carnival of special scenery and mechanical effects are used. Thirty-five people are in the company, which is the largest attraction ever attempted at popular prices. Seat sale opens Friday morning at Griffin & Reed's.

O. OREGON, MY DEWEY OREGON. Whence comes the Jew, The misty, glistening spray? The southwest winds, That drive King Frost away? They're from beyond The starchy firmaments, Where God himself Rules mighty elements.

O. OREGON, MY DEWEY OREGON. Where is the state In Uncle Sam's domain, That beats thine crops Of flowers, fruits and grain, Of hardy men, Of red-cheeked women fair, Where more balmy Invigorating air?

O. OREGON, MY DEWEY OREGON. Where is the store Within thy solid gates, That is a match FOR WIFE'S SWEEP SALE RATES? Who minds the rain? Who does talk foolish boah, So long as Wise still has a mackintosh.

O. OREGON, MY DEWEY OREGON. Mackintoshes Reduced 25 per cent.

HERMAN WISE, THE RELIABLE CLOTHIER

Collector of Customs Fox has received notification from the treasury department at Washington that the contract for building the launch for the customs service will not be let on the specifications on which bids were recently submitted. It is understood that specifications will be prepared in Washington and there is a possibility that new bids will have to be called for.

News comes from South Bend to the effect that a verdict was returned by the jury in the case of Gates and Olson charged with the murder of Captain Benson, of the launch Lenore. The jury finds Gates guilty of murder in the second degree, while Olson is acquitted. The verdict means imprisonment for life. It is thought that Gates will appeal.

Mayor Bergman yesterday issued a call for a special meeting of the council to be held this evening. The meeting is for the purpose of passing a number of ordinances providing for the payment of street contracts that have been completed. The meeting is also for the purpose of appointing a police commissioner in the much disputed vacancy caused by the death of the late W. F. Scheibe.

An alarm of fire called out No. 1 hose company and the Chemical in short order yesterday afternoon about 1 o'clock. The fire proved to be in the Music Hall on Astor street, run by Charles Wise. The blaze originated from a partially defective fuse and was hiding fair to start a conflagration, but a few minutes work with the chemical put it out of business. This is the same place from which an alarm was turned in several months ago and it will probably be fixed up in more substantial shape this time. Beyond a little damage to the ceiling and walls by the Chemical and a little scorching of the roof, no damage was done.

LIFE SAVED BY ELECTRIC LIGHT. An interesting calculation has recently been made which shows that when the electric light has entirely displaced gas, oil lamps and candles, there will be 4,000 less deaths annually, these being so much more unhealthy than electricity. In a like manner there will be far less sickness in the world, when every one learns to check the inroads of dyspepsia with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Constipation, indigestion, biliousness, fever and ague and malaria are but danger signals proclaiming a diseased condition of the stomach. Good digestion is at the base of perfect nutrition. The Bitters strengthens the stomach, and cures all disorders arising from mal-nutrition. Every one would do well to try it. See that our Private Revenue Stamp covers the neck of the bottle.

RELEASED FROM QUARANTINE. Ninety of the 369 quarantined passengers and crew of the City of Seattle, now remain in quarantine at Williams Head. Those released Sunday included Captain W. A. Connell and thirty-nine passengers and thirteen of the crew, sixty-eight of the latter having been released Friday. Of the nine held in quarantine, six are affected with smallpox and three with other diseases. Captain Connell and his officers were given a testimonial by the passengers before leaving quarantine for the kind treatment accorded them.

FOR GOOD ROADS. A national good roads and irrigation congress is being held in Chicago this week. The two associations meet in conjunction, the first three days being devoted to road improvement and the last three days to irrigation. During the present season, road conventions have been held in the larger cities of the states throughout the Northwest. The objects of the Chicago meeting are similar to those of these conventions, that is, to promote more general interest in the improvement of the public roads, to discuss the best methods of building and maintaining them, and to promote good roads legislation in the various states.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. Peninsular Land & Trust Company to Jacob Jackson—lot 13, block 115, Taylor's Addition, \$300. Patrick O'Harra to Joel Kindred—lots 15, 16, 27, 28, block 6, O'Harra's addition to Warrenton; \$100. United States to Thomas Mitchell—14.27 acres in section 28, T 4 N, R 9 W; patent. John D. Mahoney to John E. DuBois—149 acres in section 35, T 4 N, R 7 W; \$5. Robert Hill to Ben S. Olsen and John Anderson—2 1/2 acres in N. A. Eberman donation land claim; \$500. Joseph Bachow and wife to Williamette Pulp & Paper Company—114.80 acres in section 18, T 6 N, R 8 W; \$379.

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