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THE MORNING ASTORIAN

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TODAY'S WEATHER.

PORTLAND, Dec. 4.—Oregon, probably fair; Washington, probably fair; Idaho, generally fair.

AROUND TOWN.

Aak for K. B. brand salted peanuts.
K. B. salted peanuts, wholesome and delicious.
Gus Holmes went to Portland yesterday.
Mrs. H. Thompson was in Portland yesterday.
J. H. Merrill, of Heppner, is at the Occident.
W. Johnson, of Wise, was in Astoria yesterday.
Thomas Burk, of Knappa, was in the city yesterday.
Mrs. A. Gragg, of Maygers, is visiting in the city.
Bar report: Wind, southeast; foggy; rain; bar, obscured.
Editor Williams, of Skamokawa, was in the city yesterday.
S. A. Manning, of McMinnville, is a guest of the Occident.
C. W. Stratton, of Portland, is registered at the Occident.
St. Paul dress-making parlors at Central Hotel, Miss Wilkes.
G. C. Fulton was in Portland yesterday on legal business.
A. M. King, of Baker City, is registered at the Astor House.
J. T. Rose returned last evening from a business trip to Portland.
Thomas Henderson went to Portland on a business trip yesterday.
Best 15-cent meal, Rising Sun Restaurant, 612 Commercial street.
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Girl Wanted—For general housework; small family. Apply this office.

Sheriff Layville was a passenger on the up train yesterday morning.

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

W. J. Stephens and wife, of Tillamook, are registered at the Parker House.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lemke, of Svensen, were in Astoria on a visit yesterday.

The Occident barbershop has three first-class barbers under its new management.

Senator J. G. Meier and wife were passengers down on last evening's train from Portland.

John S. Barkie, a native of Finland, was granted full citizenship papers in probate court yesterday.

The Bazaar! Holiday goods, bamboo furniture, ladies' underwear and notions; 681 Commercial street.

Miss Beattie Barker, of this city, and Mr. J. Wallace Harrison, of Portland, Dec. 10th.

Dr. Fulton was called across the river on Monday to attend H. J. McGowan, who is suffering from a severe attack of the grip.

Nothing definite has as yet been heard from the German ship Gertrud, which returned to the mouth of the river in a leaking condition.

John Doe and James Murphy appeared before Judge Nelson yesterday afternoon in police court and were fined \$5 each for being drunk.

The receipts of canned salmon by water at San Francisco last week were in cases as follows: Seattle, 900; Tacoma, 600; Coos bay, 720; Columbia river, 1040.

C. B. Bishop was elected mayor of Salem on Monday by a heavy majority. He was the nominee on the citizens' ticket. The entire citizens' ticket was elected.

Of interest to Ladies—Send your address to Safford Co., box 766, Portland, Ore., and we will mail you description of an article every woman should possess.

Captain A. E. Beard has returned from Puget sound, where he has been running the steamer E. L. Dwyer as a tender to the Point Roberts cannery of George & Barker.

The British ship Westgate, out 24 days from Hong Kong for this port, arrived at Port Townsend Monday. The Westgate has been posted in San Francisco for several days at 15 per cent.

Mrs. Emsley Houghton, of Warrenton, is seriously ill.

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

Mrs. James W. Welch, president of the Native Daughters of Oregon, left for Portland yesterday morning to attend a meeting of the executive board to be held in that city today.

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

The carpenters at work in the shipyard at Marshfield walked out on a strike at noon last Friday. They demanded a nine instead of a ten hour day and the owners, C. A. Hooper & Co., refused to grant.

The literary department of the Epworth League held a business meeting on Monday evening and decided to hold another series of literary socials or entertainments during the winter. The first one will probably take place about the 15th of this month.

The case of the United States vs. Sheriff Layville and Constable Kelly, charged with interfering with a deputy United States marshal in the discharge of his duty, which had been set for trial Monday, in the United States supreme court at Portland, was continued until December 15.

Every patriotic citizen should patronize the charity ball to be given by the Woman's Relief Corps on Friday evening at Ford & Stokes' hall. This is the only patriotic organization in the city and is deserving of your hearty support.

The ladies of the M. E. church will hold their annual sale and supper on Thursday, Dec. 6, in the building recently occupied by the Republican headquarters on Bond street. The sale will commence at 4:30 p. m., and supper at 5 o'clock.

The Woman's Relief Corps will give a grand ball on Friday evening, Dec. 7, at Ford & Stokes' hall. Tickets 50 cents per couple. Ladies without 25 cents. Best of music by the Columbia orchestra. Refreshments will be served during the entire evening.

The police took in a regular contributor to the city funds early yesterday morning. He makes periodical visits to the city. Ordinarily he only gets drunk. This time, however, he added disorderly conduct to the offense and in police court yesterday afternoon the Judge said \$15.

The county court will begin the regular session of the December term this afternoon. Among the business to come before the court is the opening of bids for the contract of building the draw bridge across Tucker creek and for the construction of a bridge across the Upper Necanicum.

Dr. A. A. Finch has ordered a new X-ray machine to be used in connection with his practice in this city. The machine is to be of the very latest improved pattern and will prove a valuable addition to the doctor's already excellent surgical appliances. The apparatus is expected to arrive about Christmas.

C. L. Houston, who went to Seaside with several men on Monday to work on the Upper Necanicum bridge, was compelled to return three and one-half miles to Seaside to get accommodations for the night on account of the sudden severe illness of the man at whose house he, with the men, had intended boarding.

The steamship Elder arrived down the river yesterday morning and left out for San Francisco. She took on at this port 443 sacks of oysters, 630 bundles of shoos and 450 cases of salmon. The salmon was shipped by the Columbia River Packers Association. There were no cabin passengers from this port.

James W. Welch, grand master of Oregon I. O. O. F., who has but recently returned from an extended trip through the eastern portion of the state where he visited all the Odd Fellows' lodges in that section, expects to leave Sunday morning for a similar trip of inspection to the lodges of Southern Oregon.

The football team are putting in good work practicing for the coming game at The Dalles. They will leave Astoria on the Friday evening train and remain over night in Portland, leaving there at 9 o'clock Saturday morning. A special round trip rate of \$3.50 from Portland has been obtained and a number of people expect to accompany the team.

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Four white men assaulted two Chinamen, killing one and severely injuring the other Monday evening near Riley, just across the line from the Poor Farm, in Washington county, a few miles south of Portland. Revenge was the motive, according to the story of the survivor, who was brought to Portland.

Twenty-five sailors were brought down from Portland to the local sailor's boarding house on the noon train yesterday. One of the sailors got into a rather vociferous wordy argument with Joe Winterhalter over the relative importance of meat and team as applied to one or two cigars last night, and the rapidly gathering audience came near being treated to a free fight encounter. Some of the spectators protested, however, and the fight was called off.

The funeral of A. L. Friend, who died at the hospital, and also the funeral of Daniel Gray, who was killed at Stella, will be held from Pohl's undertaking parlors at 9:30 o'clock this morning. The interment will take place yesterday. One of the sailors got into a rather vociferous wordy argument with Joe Winterhalter over the relative importance of meat and team as applied to one or two cigars last night, and the rapidly gathering audience came near being treated to a free fight encounter. Some of the spectators protested, however, and the fight was called off.

A Monday's Tacoma paper has the following which serves to show what will be the inevitable result of the O. R. & N. Co. remaining blind to its own interests as well as the interests of the great state wherein its interests lie. "The trade arrangement between the Northern Pacific and the operators of the river steamer J. M. Hannaford, by which freights will be transferred at Lewiston, is expected by grain men to divert a large share of the O. R. & N. wheat traffic to this port. The Snake river territory will probably ship a large portion of its crop to Tacoma."

Gay Bennett, who played center on the Second Multnomah eleven that was matched against the local team in this city on Thanksgiving day is in bed as the result of a leg broken in a practice game with the High School team on Monday night last Saturday afternoon. He fractured one of the bones of his left leg near the ankle and will be laid up for the next two weeks. Bennett has been injured on two previous occasions but his desire to play football is too great for him to stop playing the game. At the time he was injured Bennett was not playing with the Multnomah team, but with a picked eleven which was giving the High School boys some practice preliminary to their Seattle game next Saturday.

The "Under Sealed Orders" Company opens a two-nights' and matinee engagement at Fisher's opera house Friday night. The story of the play is rather complicated and is told in four acts, which are full of life, sunshine and shadows. The management has selected a company of players especially fitted for the several roles in the play and each man and woman are at their best. Besides having gathered together one of the best dramatic companies it has selected several very clever specialty artists. The company carries its own special scenery and an excellent wardrobe. At the matinee Saturday, where each child attending receives a bag of candy, Sully's "Corner Grocery" will be presented, and the closing performance Saturday night the laughable absurdity, "The Strange Adventures of Miss Brown" will be put on. Reserved seat sale opens tomorrow morning at Griffin & Reed's.

Captain John W. Gage, well known in this port as master of the steamer State of California, which was recently taken off the run from this port to San Francisco, died at his hotel in Berkeley, California, on Monday, aged about 70 years. Captain Gage came to this coast in 1855 from his native state of Maine. He was for a time quartermaster on the old steamer Oregon, and master on the old steamer Portland and San Francisco route as master of the brig Francisco, Susan Abigail, Fanny Major and Quaddy Belle. He sailed the schooner Pacific in the Umpqua river trade for three years, and then went to the bark Occident and the barkentine Webfoot, being a part owner of the latter vessel. He was master and part owner of the barkentine Portland for nine years, and then went into the steamship service. He was in command of the steamships Edith, Bieda, Al Ki, Umatilla and Willamette.

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The new boiler for the O. R. & N. Co.'s steamer T. J. Potter, which was originally intended for the Paul Mohr steamer, arrived in Portland Monday. It is said to be the largest marine boiler that has been received in that city. Its dimensions are: 27.5 feet long, 122 inches in diameter, firebox 10 feet in length by 8 feet wide, and 11.5 from the floor of the firebox to the top of shell. It is fitted with 438 tubes, 24 inches in diameter and 17 feet in length.

KEEPS THEM GUESSING.

Telegram. President Hammond, of the Astoria & Columbia River railway, will not return home before January 1. He is still in San Francisco, but is expected to leave for the East in a few days.

Just what Mr. Hammond's extended visit means only those who "are next" can surmise. One thing is certain, he is not visiting simply for his health. His interests in Oregon demand his full time, and it must be a very urgent business that would take him away from here. By his extensive operations in the Northwest he has shown that he has a powerful backing somewhere, presumably in New York city. Except that he had access to a long purse, he could not keep up the protracted warfare he has against a powerful corporation like the O. R. & N.; nor could he purchase a big redwood timber tract which went with the purchase of the railroad in Humboldt county, Cal. In addition to those interests, he has the option on large timber tracts in the Nehalem country, controls the Corvallis & Eastern, and is preparing to extend that road into Central Oregon. When Mr. Hammond's business is so important that it takes him East to consult personally with the men who are backing him, those who pretend to keep close track of such things declare there is something more than usual in the wind.

THE FALL OF BROOKLYN BRIDGE.

The Brooklyn bridge is being weakened by electrolysis. Its four great cables are live wires through which wildcat currents are constantly flowing. These are escaping to the ground through the anchorages, which they are eating away at an estimated rate of nine tons a year. The conclusion is that the electrolytic effect must be overcome at once or the bridge may some day fall into the river, or it may have to be closed. Health is often undermined in a like manner by the neglect of trivial matters. Constipation, indigestion, dyspepsia, biliousness or nervousness should be checked at once. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will do it. No other medicine is as good for all disorders of the stomach. Don't fail to give it a trial.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Columbia Harbor Land Co. to J. W. McGhee—lots 6 and 11, block 27, Warrenton Park; \$400.

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Songs, Dances and Specialties.

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MATINEE—Adults, 50 cents; children, 25 cents.

Seat sale opens Thursday morning at Griffin & Reed's.

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20 Per Cent Discount
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SNAP 3.
Boys' Double-breasted Suits with ex. pair pants, ages 7 to 15, well worth \$2.75. **NOW \$3.00**

25 Per Cent Discount
Boys' and Children's Clothing.

SNAP 5
Men's Natural Wood or Camel's Hair Shirts and Drawers, heavy weight for Winter wear. Were worth \$1 per suit. **NOW 80 CENTS**

20 Per Cent Discount
On Neckwear, Hosiery, Gloves, Shoes, Etc.

25 Per Cent Discount
On Suits and Overcoats.

SNAP 2
Men's Vici Kid Shoes, Goodyear Welt, Latest Style Toes. Regular price \$3.50. **NOW \$2.80**

20 Per Cent Discount
On Hats and Caps.

SNAP 4
Men's All-Wool Black or Blue Gray Worsted Suit, Round Collar or Straight Cut, Well Tailored and Finished, equal to custom made, a snap at \$14.00. **NOW \$10.50**

20 Per Cent Discount
ON UMBRELLAS

SNAP 6
Men's Mackintosh with Cape, Blue or Black Serge, a bargain at \$6.00. **...NOW \$4.50...**

Danziger's Unloading Sale

No discount on E. & W. Collars and Cuffs, Rubber and Oil Clothing and Denim Goods.