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TODAY'S WEATHER.

PORTLAND, Jan. 6.—Western Oregon and Western Washington, rain or snow. Eastern Oregon, snow. Eastern Washington and Northern Idaho, probably snow.

AROUND TOWN.

E. E. Lyon, of Knappa, was in the city yesterday. Thomas Floyd, of Olney, was in the city yesterday. John Fry, of Youngs River, was in the city yesterday. Bar report: Wind, southwest, squally; bar, moderate. Joel Bates, of Goble, is registered at the Parker House. J. L. Honeyman, of Portland, was at the Occident yesterday. Duncan O. Taylor, of Portland, is registered at the Occident. Frank Supplement, of Chadwell, was in the city yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Cleary are in Portland for a few days. The British ship Province was started up the river yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. J. Lemon, of Sandy, were in Astoria yesterday. The British ship Langdale was towed to sea yesterday morning. Olaf Erickson, of Lewis and Clark, was in Astoria yesterday. Best 15-cent meal, Rising Sun Restaurant, 613 Commercial street. Jeff's restaurant—the largest and best. A trial will convince you. Frank M. Warren, of Portland, was in the city yesterday on business. The German ship C. H. Watten arrived down the river yesterday afternoon in town of the Oklahama. BEST 15-CENT MEAL; RISING SUN RESTAURANT.

Captain Nick Weber was down from Eagle Cliff yesterday on business.

Mrs. C. W. Fulton and Mrs. H. F. Prael spent yesterday in Portland.

Miss Clara Simpson, of Portland, is in the city, visiting with her parents.

C. H. COOPER'S GREAT ANNUAL SALE IS NOW ON. DON'T MISS IT.

The Occident barbershop and baths is the place to go for first-class work.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Parrott, of Yaguln, are registered at the Astor House.

Where do you get your Sunday dinner? I take mine at the Central Hotel.

The steamer Columbia arrived in from San Francisco yesterday morning.

SALE IS NOW ON. COME EARLY AND SECURE SOME OF THE BARGAINS.

Miss Nellie Mitchell, of Stevenson, Wash., is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. D. Johnson.

Edward Gottlieb and Louis F. Bender, of Fort Columbia, were in the city yesterday.

EVERYTHING GREATLY REDUCED FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS AT COOPER'S.

The steam schooner Alliance left out for San Francisco and way ports yesterday morning.

H. P. Reed, the Gardiner, Ore., canneryman, arrived in the city on the noon train yesterday.

Citizens of Cathlamet are urging a mass meeting for the purpose of incorporating the town.

The British ship Andreta arrived down the river yesterday at noon in town of the Harvest Queen.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to Hawkesley Wilkinson and Edith Dawson, both of Clatsop county.

All the newly elected councilmen and the city attorney filed their oaths of office with the city auditor yesterday afternoon.

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

The light-house tender Columbine left out yesterday on a trip to Willapa bay, where she goes to place a whistling buoy and several other aids to navigation.

The bar tug Wallula and Esport were both called into service yesterday morning to tow the British ship Marion Lightbody out to sea.

Victor Fabrin, a native of Finland, declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States in the county clerk's office yesterday.

John A. Montgomery has opened a shop at 411 Bond street and is prepared to do all classes of plumbing and tinning at the lowest possible rates.

The British ship Andreta cleared at the custom house for Queenstown for orders yesterday. She carries 101,532 bushels of wheat, valued at \$32,395.

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

H. B. Hoehner has an excellent outfit of special cooking utensils and coffee urn which he will rent out for banquets, parties or other private uses.

Mrs. Joseph Brown suffered a severe fall yesterday morning and dislocated her left shoulder. She was coming out of her house and slipped on the door step.

All Odd Fellows are requested to meet at their hall Monday, January 7, at 10 o'clock a. m., to attend the funeral of the wife of Brother H. P. Kindred. C. Bakison, N. G.

Joseph Gruber and the three Kenney brothers, John J. William and P. S., returned from a trip of several weeks to California, on the steamer Columbia yesterday morning.

Mrs. Billings, of Lewiston, Idaho, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. M. J. Fox, in this city, returned last night from a brief visit to Portland, accompanied by Mrs. James Fox.

The British steamship Saint Bede arrived down the river at 2 o'clock yesterday morning and crossed out at 11:30 o'clock. She carries a government cargo of hay and oats for Manila.

The German ship Watten filed her manifest at the custom house yesterday afternoon, stating that she carries 153,842 bushels of wheat, valued at \$57,500 and is bound for Queenstown for orders.

The Teamsters' Union will hold its regular meeting at Hawthorn's hall, on Tuesday evening, January 8. All members are requested to be present as business of importance is to be transacted.

An employe at Benson's logging camp, by the name of Frost, was brought to St. Mary's hospital Friday evening to receive surgical attention for a badly cut hand. Dr. Fulton attended the injury.

Mrs. Mudd and her sister Mrs. Cunningham, of New Astoria, have returned from Portland, where they have been visiting their father, R. C. Kindred, who was severely injured a few days ago by a fall.

The cold storage facilities and plant now controlled by H. L. Roan at Fairhaven has passed under the control of R. Ouffroy, who is now in the East placing a vast cold storage combination on its feet financially.

It's a gentleman's whiskey, a pure delicious beverage and a grand appetizer. Don't forget the name, "I. W. Harper" whiskey. The kind your grandfather used. Sold by Fuard and Stokes Co., Astoria, Ore.

The Chinaman, Chin Wing, who was arrested on a charge of assault and battery, Friday afternoon, was released yesterday on a cash bail of \$50. The bail was furnished by Ark W. W. His trial was set for Monday, before Justice Brewer.

The British ship Scottish Isles cleared from Portland yesterday for orders. She was dispatched by Balfour, Guthrie & Co., and is the first of the January fleet to get away. She carries over 115,700 bushels of wheat, valued at about \$42,000.

Ed Cassidy, who was recently in this city, was arrested in Portland early yesterday morning on the charge of burglarizing the Owl saloon at that place. He had pinched a key while inside before the place closed and went in a side door.

Judge Gray received a telegram yesterday from the superintendent of the state insane asylum, stating that Abraham Pakke, who was committed to that institution from Clatsop county on November 16, 1891, died on January 3, aged 60 years.

All members of Gateway Rebeccah lodge, No. 77, I. O. O. F., are requested to attend the funeral of their late sister, Kate Kindred, on Monday, January 7th, at 10:30 a. m., at the Episcopal church. By order, IRENA C. JOHNSON, Noble Grand.

Three big companies were organized Friday by filing articles of incorporation in the department of state, for the avowed purpose of developing Oregon's wonderful resources, especially in the mineral and oil belt of the Tillamook and Nehalem countries.

The Woman's Relief Corps will give a tea at the residence of Mrs. Ziegler on Seventeenth street, on Wednesday afternoon and evening. There will be a fish pond, music and other games for old and young. Everybody is invited to come and have a good time.

By articles of incorporation filed at Salem on Friday the Free Methodist Church of North America will acquire and handle church property, for the benefit of religious works of charity, in Josephine county. The principal office will be located in Grants Pass.

Contractor Houston has been delayed in the completion of the Upper Neckum bridge by the washing away of some of his lumber. He immediately ordered more sent down from the mills here and he work will probably be completed so as to allow the passage of teams by Wednesday.

The Copper Head Mining Company, which recently incorporated in this city held a meeting of the stockholders on Friday and perfected its organization. The following officers were elected: W. W. Whipple, president; C. G. Palmberg, vice-president; D. T. Gerdes, secretary; Frank Patton, treasurer.

The production of that well-known comic opera, made famous by Frank Daniels, "The Idol's Eye," at Fisher's opera house last evening called out an audience that packed the house. The opera was put on by the Boston Lyric Opera Company, as a return engagement. The stage settings were exceptionally good and the costumes were superb. The production was fun from start to finish and was most heartily enjoyed by the enthusiastic audience.

Lazy Livers

are many times the cause of various diseases. Ninety per cent of the American people are said to be troubled with liver and stomach troubles, indigestion, biliousness, sluggish liver, etc.

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William Wallace, of the Eller Piano House is in the city and can be found at C. P. Looney's. On Friday he delivered a very fine duplicate of the Kimball piano, exhibited at the International Exposition at Omaha, to parties in Grays Harbor. He has also placed a very fine piano here in the city within the past few days.

Pal Croves, who has created such a furor in the "under world" and caused so much trouble to the police in the Middle West, was at one time a Walla Walla man, according to a paper published in that city. He is quite well remembered by several who were acquainted with him at that time and it has been thought he might head that way in his effort to seek a place of safety.

Lieutenant-Commander Davis, of the Oregon Naval Reserve at Portland, has received fifty rounds of ammunition for use in the landing pieces now in possession of the reserve. The consignment comprises both shrapnel and common shells—also ten outlasses and belts, and a sample card of the fuses used in different guns and for distances. This new equipment comes from the navy department, a requisition having been sent to headquarters some time ago. No word has yet been heard of the Lee rifles which were also asked for.

The citizens of Seattle have already subscribed over \$80,000 of the \$100,000 needed for the Moran battleship fund and there is now no question that the total amount will be raised. Moran Brothers Company are confident not only that they will be one of the three concerns selected by Secretary Long to build battleships, but that when the award is made they will be able to do it on the reduced figure demanded by the navy department. The people of Seattle are guaranteeing the funds necessary to meet this reduction.

Services as usual at the Presbyterian church today. At the close of the morning service the communion of the Lord's supper will be observed. The theme of the evening sermon will be "A Young Man's Opportunity."

There will be the usual services at the Methodist church today. The regular bi-monthly communion services will be held in connection with the morning service. The theme for the evening sermon will be "Isaiah's Vision."

Services at the Swedish Lutheran church as usual today. Swedish church at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject, "Whom do you seek?" English service at 7:30 p. m. Subject, "Arise, shine for thy light is come and the glory of the Lord is upon thee." Sunday school at 11 a. m. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

The pastor of the First Baptist church desires to make the first Sunday of this year a century one of special service preparatory for the following week of prayer and an uplift in Christian life and service. Sermons will be preached having that end in view, and persons who can consistently attend are cordially invited to do so.

"Entire Obedience to God Our Best Sacrifice" will be the theme for the 11 o'clock service in the first Congregational church today. At 7:30 in the evening the theme will be "Love Perfected Constitutes Man Perfected." The communion service will be observed at the close of the morning service. Bible meeting begins at 7:30. A cordial invitation extended to all.

FUNERAL NOTICE. All members of Seaside lodge, No. 12, A. O. U. W., are requested to meet at their lodge room at 2:30 a. m., Monday, January 7th, to attend the funeral of the late wife of Brother H. P. Kindred. JOHN A. MONTGOMERY, Attest: Master Workman. JAY TUTTLE, Recorder.

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BOLD BURGLARY.

The Office and Will Madison's Eleventh Street Cigar Store Touched.

A bold robbery occurred early yesterday morning or late the evening before in this city. Harry Hamilton's place, "The Office," on Eleventh street was the scene of the commencement of operations. Soon after Mr. Hamilton closed up and went into the restaurant next door the thief or thieves, though the probability is that the work was done by one man, who had probably been watching, broke in the front doors, which are of the swinging pattern, fastening with a bolt at top and bottom. The bill of the door showed where the bolt had been forced.

"It is splitting a piece off," said the register was on board. The cash register was first. It was worth \$100.00 and was broken into by means of a connecting door. Here the cash register was touched for just \$3. Then the thief showed his intent knowledge of his surroundings by going to a cupboard and taking from behind some empty cigar boxes, a sack containing a purse and between \$40 and \$50 in coin. No trace of his identity was discovered although a careful search has been made.

COMMITTEE NAMED. Chairman Higgins Makes the Appointment of Additional Members to Serve in the Common Point Fight.

At the mass meeting of the citizens held on Thursday night, Chairman J. E. Higgins was empowered to appoint sixteen citizens to serve in conjunction with the five already on the original committee. The motion was made, at the meeting that the members of the committee be selected from the citizens so as to include every branch of trade and as many different interests as possible. The appointments were as follows:

W. F. McGregor, W. H. Barker, A. V. Allen, F. L. Parker, F. P. Kendall, Leander LaBeck, D. K. Warren, Martin Noard, Herman Wise, J. O. A. Bowby, C. R. Thomson, W. Whipple, F. A. Fisher, W. L. Robb, Chas. Larson and J. H. Johansen. The original committee consisted of C. W. Fulton, Albert Duncker, P. J. Taylor, B. F. Allen and J. T. Ross.

Two of the members of the original committee are members of the legislature and will be called to attend at the opening of that body soon, but the addition of the new members will lighten the burdens of the balance of the committee.

PARIS EXHIBITION PRIZES. The United States received more prizes at the Paris exposition than any other nation, except France. The total being 1951. It is also a remarkable fact, that though the inhabitants of every other country suffer from digestive troubles, and though every climate offers some alleviative, it remains for America to produce an absolutely reliable remedy for such common diseases. This remedy is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Half a century ago it was placed upon the market, and from that day to this, it has never been equalled. It has an almost unparalleled record for the cure of dyspepsia, indigestion, constipation, headache, sour stomach, belching, heartburn, nervousness, fatigue, insomnia, or any other disturbance of the stomach. Be sure to give it a trial.

FUNERAL NOTICE. The funeral of Mrs. H. B. Kindred will be held from the Episcopal church on Monday at 10:30 a. m. The interment will take place in the Odd Fellows cemetery at Skippam.

REAL ESTATE. A. R. Cyrus to Julia M. Sweeney—lots 15, 16 and 22, block 3, Prospect Park; \$100. David and Mary Morgan to M. J. Kinney—lots 8, 9 and 12, block 54, Shively's \$150.

Greenwood Cemetery Association to Astoria Aerie No. 17, F. O. E., block 78, Greenwood; \$100. C. O. Carlson to J. F. Hamilton—east half of southeast quarter, southwest quarter of southeast quarter, and southeast quarter of southwest quarter, section 30, T 6 N, R 3 W; \$100. Mary Dealey to W. F. McGregor—timber right to E. half of N. E. quarter, and S. half of SE quarter of section 24, T 7 N, R 3 W; \$250.

ANNUAL MEETING. The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Astoria Fishermen's Packing Company will be held at the office of the company, Astoria, Oregon, on Wednesday the 9th day of January, 1901, at the hour of 3 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing a board of directors to serve for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting. JOHN NORDSTROM, Secretary.

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The census bureau announced that the population of Illinois was 5,321,550, as against 5,328,351 in 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That a certificate of the completion of the improvement of Tenth street from the south line of Exchange street to the north line of Franklin avenue, and from the south line of Franklin avenue to the north line of Grand avenue, in Astoria, by N. Clinton and Son, contractors, under the provisions of ordinance No. 2583, of the City of Astoria, has been duly filed with the auditor and police judge of the City of Astoria, by the committee on streets and public ways, city surveyor and superintendent of streets, and that at the next regular meeting of said council the improvement of said street will be formally accepted unless objections be filed against the same.

Dated this 4th day of January, 1901. H. E. NELSON, Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria.

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ASSESSMENT NOTICE

NINTH STREET FROM THE NORTH LINE OF BOND STREET TO THE SOUTH LINE OF ASTOR STREET.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment made by ordinance No. 2571, of the City of Astoria, Oregon, entitled "An ordinance concerning special assessment roll No. 26 for the improvement of Ninth street from the north line of Bond street to the south line of Astor street" approved Dec. 27, 1900, will be due and payable in United States gold coin at the office of the city treasurer on January 15, 1901, and if not so paid at said time the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection of the same. The assessment is as follows:

Table listing property owners and their assessed amounts for the improvement of Ninth Street. Includes names like BOELLING, V., BOELLING, ELIZA, BOELLING, SOPHIE, BROWN, CHARLES, CORBETT, H. W., WILKINSON, ANNA, and amounts ranging from \$10.00 to \$15.00.

The following is payable in installments, the first installment due January 15th, 1901:

Table listing property owners and their installment amounts. Includes names like CHASE, W. B., PARKER, EVA BELL, PARKER, F. L., and amounts ranging from \$5.00 to \$15.00.

Attest: H. E. NELSON, Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria, Oregon, Jan. 5, 1901.

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