..REMNANT SALE..

Having just closed the most successful Clearance Sale ever given in Astoria we have a number of Remnants of all kinds left.

THIS WEEK we want to close out the lot and offer special rates on all remnant and

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The A. Dunbar Co

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, Feb. 6.—Western Oregon and Western Washington, cloudy and threatening, with probably light rain or posibly snow. Eastern Oregon, Eastern Washington and Idaho, generally fair.

AROUND TOWN.

Sweet apple cider at Johnson Bros.

Three first-class barbers at the Occident again.

Chas. Meserve, of Delena, is a guest at the Parker.

Ralston health foods served free at A. V. Allen's.

Alex Duncan was up from Seaside yesterday on business.

The regular session of the county court will open today.

W. W. Whipple returned at noon yesterday from Portland.

Strictly fresh eggs, two dozen for 55 cents, at Johnson Bros.

R. Becker, a Portland traveling man, was in the city yesterday.

E. M. Philebaum was in from Portland on business yesterday.

A. H. Mursop, of St. Paul, is in the city, a guest at the Parker.

Bar report—Wind, northwest, light; weather, hazy, bar, smooth.

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

F. E. Norton, of Gaston, Oregon, is registered at the Astor House.

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

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. W. Jacobson, of Uniontown, yesterday, a girl.

Thos. Dorris, of Cathlamet, is in the city and is stopping at the Parker.

BEST 15-CENT MEAL; RISING SUN RESTAURANT.

W. L. Robb left for Salem yesterday morning to remain several days.

The German ship Nereus sailed from Hong Kong for Astoria January 28.

J. R. Blanchard and H. N. Cory, of Salt Lake, are guests at the Occident.

Geo. L. Ross, of Chicago, arrived last evening and is stopping at the Parker.

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

M. S. Bounds, who has been visiting his parents in Missouri, has returned.

School Clerk Ferguson will begin taking the school census for the year 1901 today.

S. W. Freeman came up from Tillamook yesterday and is a guest at the Parker.

Hugh McGuire, president of the Pacific Paper Company, was in town yesterday.

Captain Wicklund of the Point Adams life saving crew was in Astoria yesterday.

Fancy Baldwin apples $1 per box. Choice Baldwin apples 75c per box, at Johnson Bros.

J. D. Floyd and son arrived from Spokane last evening and are quartered at the Parker.

ONLY FOUR MORE DAYS OF THE GREAT ANNUAL SALE AT C. H. COOPER'S.

Newton Phillips, of San Francisco, arrived on last evening's train and is stopping at the Occident.

Ladies are invited to visit A. V. Allen's store and test free samples of Ralston's Health Food.

A concert will be given at the M. E. church next Monday evening. A fine program will be presented.

The British steamship Condor came in yesterday morning from San Francisco and proceeded up the river.

The steamer Sue H. Elmore will leave out for Tillamook this morning with a cargo of general merchandise.

The German bark Hassia, with a cargo of grain for Europe, is reported to be on her way down the river.

John A. Montgomery has opened a shop at 421 Bond street and is prepared to do all classes of plumbing and tinning at the lowest possible rates.

Gus Helning and Capt. J. O'Connor came down from Portland last evening and are stopping at the Parker.

C. H. COOPER'S ANNUAL SALE POSITIVELY CLOSES ON SATURDAY EVENING, THE 9TH INST.

The grading of the hospital grounds at Fort Stevens will be begun about February 11th by Contractor Leasy.

Miss Bertha Dayvault, of Portland, who has been the guest of Mrs. Fred Johnson the past week, has returned home.

H. W. Christensen, who injured himself Saturday evening with a knife, is recovering from the effects of the wound.

Mr. Howard, of Portland, will act as cashier of the First National bank while S. S. Gordon spends a month in California.

Frank Smalley, of Crooked Creek, has disposed of his property there, consisting of about 320 acres, to W. F. McGregor for $2400.

Captain Dan McVicar left last evening for Southern Oregon, where he will look after some business interests which he has there.

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

Mrs. Dr. Steiner and daughters, Reba and Barbara, and Miss Anna M. Golden, of Salem, are in the city, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Patton.

Patents for several hundred acres of timber lands were filed for record yesterday. The property has all been purchased by The Astoria Company.

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

Mrs. E. S. Andrews left yesterday morning for Salem, as a delegate from the local lodge of Royal Neighbors to the state camp, which meets today.

The ladies of Jewell, Oregon, and the Nehalem valley have raised over $70 by a series of entertainments the past winter to beautify the Nehalem cemetery.

Joseph Leis, who for many years has been engaged in business in this city will soon leave for his old home in Germany to spend the remainder of his life.

Chas. I. Lewis, a business man, of Butte, Montana, is in the city visiting with his brother and sister, Letta and Geo. A. Lewis.

If you want groceries that are groceries, goods that sell on their merits, goods that make customers and keep them, go to A. W. Shipley, the reliable grocer.

The committee appointed by Mayor Bergman at the council meeting Monday evening to look after the proposed amendments to the city charter left for Salem yesterday.

This morning at 9 o'clock the reserved seat sale for the great comedy-drama, "The Angel of the Alley," which appears at Fisher's opera house tomorrow and Friday nights opens at Griffin & Reed's.

The job printing department of the Astorian has just received another large supply of the finest paper for commercial printing ever brought to this city, and if you want something better than the ordinary give it a trial order.

More canned salmon has been washed upon the rocks at Seaside within the past few days. In pounding on the rocks the cases had been broken open and the tins were washed on the beach. The cases and cans bore the same marks and labels as those washed up previously.

The big sailing vesel Acme is shortly to engage exclusively in the oil trade between Philadelphia and the Far East, and will carry more canvas than any ship in the world. On her maiden voyage she will have for a cargo 1,500,000 gallons of petroleum, which is to be loaded at Point Breeze.

The South Bend Pilot last week received a letter from a prominent sailing master on this coast, in which the writer stated that he had decided to invest some money in a shipbuilding plant on the Washington coast and asked what advantages South Bend offered for an industry of that sort.

One of the big hits in "The Angel of the Alley" is the introduction of an organ-grinder who plays the latest ragtime and furnishes the music for some very good dancing. These organs have become features in the poorer quarters of all large cities and crowds gather about them to watch the street gamins dance.

There is an oil boom in the Walla Walla valley. Gas and strong indications of the presence of oil and coal have been discovered and options are being taken on lands with a view to incorporating a company in the city and sinking a number of wells in an effort to locate the source of the supply which has been known to exist near there for some time.

The Italian ship Dora with grain for Europe, went to sea yesterday morning. Her master settled up the business of the vessel Sunday evening and left one of the sailors, Petrio Vecchio, at the hospital suffering with an injured leg. The captain left sufficient money to pay the man's expenses while at the hospital and also to send him to his home in Italy when he recovers sufficiently to travel.

A marked reduction in the prevailing rate on flour to the Orient, Yokohama, Kobe and Hong Kong has been announced. The rate on flour in the past has been $6. This will be reduced to $5, an innovation which in all likelihood will be appreciated by shippers. The reduction in rate is said to be due to the fact that many tramp steamers are seeking the Pacific coast for cargoes owing to the dullness of trade in the Orient, and are entering into active competition with the regular liners.

The big British bark Dunstaffnage, under charter to Balfour, Guthrie & Co., to carry a cargo of wheat to Europe, went adrift in the Tacoma harbor early yesterday morning and caused more or less excitement on the water front all day. It was not until late in the afternoon that Captain Sid Burley and his tugs Fairfield, Favorite and Echo rescued her from her perilous position and got her to a safe anchorage on the east side of the bay. During the greater part of the day she threatened serious damage to the shipping in the harbor.

The members of the county court yesterday inspected the bridge recently built across Tucker creek. The contract for the Walluski bridge will not be let until the regular term begins. It is reported that the court will be urged to let the contract for a steel bridge on the ground that the additional cost is more than offset by the length of time it would last.

The list of jurors drawn yesterday by County Clerk Wherity and Sheriff Linville to serve during the term of the circuit court which convenes February 18, is as follows: H. H. Zapf, Maxwell Young, Alex Holman, Gust Holmes, George Ralston, sr., P. A. Trullinger, C. S. Wright, B. F. Tucker, V. H. Coffey, Charles Verschuren, John G. Hayberg, B. G. Anstadt, J. C. Dement, David Airth, Ormi Alopaeus, Rudolph Barth, William Edgar, of Astoria; W. J. Denver, of Medley; H. F. Fisher, P. C. Havird, Svensen; J. N. Heckard, Chadwell; Howell Lewis, Larson; Chas. Guillium, Gus. Adolph, Olney; A. B. Powers, August Carlson, Knappa; P. C. Warren, Herman Cables, Warrenton; I. N. Foster, Jewell; Alex Frederickson, New Astoria; Nicholas Wisner, Melville.

The following telegram received by Superintendent Coolidge, of the street railway company, from S. Z. Mitchell, of the General Electric Company, in answer to a dispatch sent at the close of the council meeting Monday night, gives some idea of the street railway improvements contemplated and likely to be realized within a short time: "Mail immediately here certified copy of franchise as passed; also, wire quick in detail what extensions and exchange of routes required by franchise. Also, estimate of cash you require for making extensions and putting old line in shape. This estimate cover roadbed and over head lines only. Will make estimate here for power plant and rolling stock. Wire present surplus boiler capacity and available area for additional engines and dynamos."

The presence of so many commercial travelers who daily register at the Astoria hotels is no indication that they are doing any zealous hustling at this time. The season which begins in October and ends in December after the beginning of the holidays, will not open again until some time in March. Merchants have as a rule just finished their invoices and if a drummer gets an order it is an occurrence where his stock of some particular article has run out and he is obliged to replenish it at once. Of coures the merchants who do an extensive business buy their goods direct from the manufacturers right on the ground—a member of the firm or a buyer employed for that purpose going east every season. So as a drummer yesterday explained, the travelers just now are putting in their time renewing acquaintances with old customers and spending money in a social way to keep them.

FIRST SUBMARINE CABLE.

Which was made from an ordinary wire, insulated with gutta percha, was laid across the English Channel about fifty years ago. It was also about the same time that Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, the world renowned dyspepsia cure, was first introduced to the public and its success as a family medicine during those years almost eclipses that of the submarine cable, while today it stands alone as the one reliable remedy for dyspepsia, indigestion, flatulency, constipation, biliousness, nervousness or insomnia. If you are a sufferer from these diseases, it is because you have never tried the Bitters. Try it at once, if you would be well. It will strengthen your entire system, and produce sound sleep, and good health must naturally follow.

ITEMS FROM KNAPPA.

Mrs. Twilight is quite sick with the grip.

Little Ray Joplin has been quite sick from asthma, but is getting better.

Henry Mudge, who is employed in Astoria, came home sick with the grip.

Maleolm McFarlane has resumed operations in his camp since the fine weather.

A. Frantz succeeded in getting most of his logs down to tide-water during the recent freshet.

Finlay Taylor and family have moved into J. D. McFarlane's house, recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Meikle.

Will Eaton has been quite a sufferer from what the doctor thinks was the poison of a spider's bite on his face.

Grippe is very prevalent in the community; not many escape having it, and quite a number have had severe attacks.

Rev. Foster is busy improving the Manse property. He is at present trimming the little orchard which surrounds the house. Mr. Foster is an energetic man besides being a good pastor.

The smiling face of Alec. Meikle greeted his many friends here on Monday, and no wonder, for he is the father of a lovely baby girl, which was born in Portland, January 20. Mr. and Mrs. Meikle are now living in Portland.

Jacob Coe, of Svensen, son of Bruson Coe, was recently buried here. The Order of Washington officiated, assisted by Rev. Hawkins. The death of Mr. Coe was quite a shock to the communities of Svensen and Knappa, as he had been in his usual health till two days before his death. The family have the sympathy of their many friends. About three years ago Mr. and Mrs. Coe buried a son, a promising young man, from consumption.

VOX POPULI.

That the people of Jewell appreciate the Nehalem road move is shown by the following:

Whereas a majority of the voters of Clatsop county who voted at the last June election have so generously contributed money to pay for circulating a petition and signed the same asking the county court to levy a two-mill tax on all the taxable property of the county for a period of five years to aid in the construction of a wagon road from the city of Astoria to Vesper, Oregon, and known as road No. 77.

Resolved, That we, the people of Jewell, at a mass meeting held at the Jewell school house on Saturday, February 2, 1901, wishing to show our gratitude, take this method of extending our thanks to every one who contributed money or time and who signed the petition for our relief; and, it is further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to each of the newspapers published in Astoria.

(Signed.) N. E. FOSTER, Chairman.
I. N. FOSTER, Secretary.

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In all the Leading Weaves and Styles
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HORSES FOR THE CHINESE

Mongolians on Coast Going Into Breeding Business.

NEW INDUSTRY OPENS UP

Object of the Movement Is to Do Away With the Darkened Custom of Drudges.

A new industry is to be established on the Pacific coast in the way of breeding horse for China. To the present time within the confines of the flowery kingdom horses have had no quarter. In some of the coast cities English and German residents have a few for their own private huse, but there are hundreds of thousands of natives in the empire who have never seen a horse. The recent troubles, however, have demonstrated to some of the more enterprising Chinamen that the time is at hand when it is necessary that China throw off many of her darkened customs, and among the first of the new things to be introduced into use in the empire is the horse.

The scheme is a private one and will be handled by Chinese capital in this country. Some wealthy Chinamen in this country have been in communication with many persons in China during the past year and they are all anxious to see the project go through. It is the intention to secure three farms on the Pacific coast, where the climate is more like that of China. Here they will raise the animals and ship them to agents in China who will dispose of them in all parts of the empire. The idea is to get Chinamen to use the horse and thus do away with many of the drudges and teach Chinamen that they are born for a higher purpose than that of doing the work of the animal.

At the present time all the work of the horse is done by natives. If you want to go for a drive you hitch up your horse. In China, if you want to go for a drive a native gets into the shafts and hauls you over the country just as does the horse in this country. The same it true in the fields. Men do all the drudge work and in some sections of the empire women take a hand.

There is also need for horses in the Chinese army, and once the animals are introduced there will be a demand for them, and in this demand will be one of the first steps toward the enlightenment of the people.

It is expected that within two years shipments will begin, and if things turn out as it is expected they will, there will be one of the best horse markets in China of any place in the world.

THE L. T. L. OF KNAPPA.

The Loyal Temperance Legion of Knappa has elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

Superineendent, Mrs. A. J. Radcliffe; corresponding secretary, Chas. Pemberton, recording secretary, Will Eaton; organists, Eva Foster, Lenore Warren. The committees appointed are: Program, Bertha Moody, Chas. Pemberton, Fred Sture, Will Eaton, Ethel Mudge and Mamie Johnson; literature, Chas. Pemberton, Edward Sture, James Eaton and Charles Warren; Music Eva Foster, Lenore Warren, Jamie Ross and Will Eaton; scrap books, Eddie Sture, Chas. Warren, Louis Bayley, Will Pemberton, George Sture, Charles Knapp, Frankie Belknap, Dora Eaton, Rose Pemberton, Dollie Eaton, Katie Ross, Eddie Sture Alma Knapp, Bertha Banks and Clara Frantz.

SAME OLD STORY.

Oregon Legislature Apparently Cannot Elect a Senator.

The joint ballot for United States senator yesterday at the capitol attracted the largest crowd of the season, the expectation being general that ex-Senator John H. Mitchell would enter the race against Corbett, in place of Senator McBride. An air of expectancy pervaded the eager lobby, and a pin might have been heard to drop as the rollcall commenced. As the McBride men, however, stood by their candidate, and it appeared evident that there would be no change the spell was broken.

Rumors Monday night were plentiful enough to the effect that Mitchell had decided to enter the senatorial race. The result of yesterday's ballot, however, which was exactly the same as Monday's, proved that these rumors were ill-founded, unless perhaps Mr. Mitchell should determine to enter the race later.

Oregon's Pan-American commissioners met with the ways and means committee in the morning for the purpose of pressing the appropriation of $30,000 asked for the Oregon exhibit. But two members of the ways and means committee appeared to be in favor of a smaller appropriation, believing that $20,000 would be sufficient. As the importance of a creditable Oregon exhibit at Buffalo, however, is generally recognized, there is every reason to believe that the full amount asked for will be scheduled in the general appropriation bill.

Not a great deal was accomplished by the join fishery committees from the Oregon and Washington legislatures, which met in Portland Sunday. The Washington lawmakers were opposed to Sunday closing, and to cutting off 15 days from the open season in April. It was finally decided to defer action until the Washington committee could further confer with their constituents and colleagues. Until further advices from Olympia, therefore, final action upon legislation affecting the salmon industry of the Columbia river will be deferred by the Oregon legislature.

There promises to be some fun over the bill to prohibit Sunday barbering. The bill is to come up again on the motion to reconsider the vote by which it was passed. Those opposed to the measure will make a strong effort to defeat it. The barbers, however, are armed for the fray, and will give the enemies of the measure a hard tussle before they get through with them.

The representatives of the various railroad companies had another inning before the house committee on railways and transportation last evening. There are yet to be considered three bills having for their object a reduction in passenger rates from 4 to 3 cents per mile, and the Poorman bill relative to the responsibility of carriers to employes.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Notice is hereby given of changes made in the aids to navigation in this district:

Coon island post light—The three-pile beacon from which this fixed white light is shown, and which was reported, January 16, damaged to such an extent as to render the discontinuance of the light necessary, has been reconstructed, and the light re-established in its former position on the NW. side of the entrance to the Willamette river, Oregon.

Swan island bar lower post light—The three pile beacon from which this fixed white light is shown, on the lower end of Swan island bar, Oregon, which was carried away on January 17, and the light re-established on February 1, 1901.

Swan island bar upper post light—The three pile beacon from which this fixed red light is shown, on the east side of the channel near the entrance to the dry dock at Albina, Oregon, which was carried away January 17, and the light extinguished, was replaced in position and the light re-established January 1, 1901.

By order of the Light-House Board.
W. P. DAY,
Commander, U. S. A., Light-House Inspector.

MANY YOUNG SALMON.

Chinook Hatchery Will Soon Turn Out About Two Millions.

A large number of young salmon, the most ever put out at the Chinook hatchery in a single season, will be turned out within the next few weeks, providing the weather is warm and suitable. The first lot will number 300,000 young Chinooks. A week later 300,000 more will follow, and the output will continue each successive week, conditions being favorable, until 1,800,000, including 250,000 silversides, are put into Chinook river.

EAGLES' DANCE TONIGHT.

Astoria Aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles, grand ball takes place tonight at Foard & Stokes hall. No expense has been spared to make this the event of the season. The largest orchestra that has ever played for a dance in this city will furnish the music. Huber, the armless wonder, will give an exhibition of his wonderful skill during the evening and to see this wonderful freak is well worth the price of admission alone. The following committee have been appointed: Reception, Hon. I. Bergman, Dr. O. B. Estes, Judge H. E. Nelson, Thomas Dealey, J. N. Laws, Herman Wise and W. J. Cook. Floor committee, J. H. Hanson, Wm. Kelly, C. E. Foster, A. Seafeldt, J. Hannaford, J. H. O'Connell and Joseph Gribler.

Love brings flattery to a man's tongue and flutterings to a woman's heart.

Nature feathers the oars of the duck, but it has to feather its own nest.

A GENTLEMAN'S SMOKE

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Music by the Columbia Orchestra, augmented.

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THURSDAY AND FRIDAY

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The Interior of Sing Sing Prison!
The Electrocution Chamber!
The Celebrated Race Horse, Howard Gratz!
The lightning and Thunderbolt Split the Prison Walls!
The Wonderful Plunge of the Horse Through the Walls!

Admission—Reserved seats, 75 cents; gallery, 50 cents. Advance sale of seats opens Wednesday morning at Griffin & Reed's.

SOMETHING NEW.

Just published by the Southern Pacific Co. is a phamphlet upon the resources of Western Oregon, which includes an excellent map of the state, and contains information on climate, lands, education, etc., existing industries and their capabilities.

Attention is also directed to such new fields for energy or capital as promise fair return.

This publication fills a need long experienced by Oregonians, in replying to inquiries of eastern friends.

Copies may be had of local agent Southern Pacific Co., or from
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