### **Xmas Candles to Burn**

Just received our shipment of Xmas Tree Caudles 18, 24 and 48 to the box. We are going to sell these today, Wednesday for,

Tomorrow they go back to their old

ROSS, HIGGINS & CO.

Tenth street.

street. Lumber has already been haul-

candies will also be on sale.

Swan Falls, Idn., hatchery.

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Champagne Wafers.

Kennedy's Oysterstfor

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Kennedy's Virginia Bisculis.

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tection.

#### The Morning Astorian the work of repairing Commercial TELEPHONE 661.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Change of copy must reach the business office by I p. m. to secure ap. served at the election day dinner to pearance in the following morning's open next door to Griffin & Reed's at sidered serious, but before daylight the edition. This rule will govern all 10. 11:50 today. An elegant spread for oncal adevrtisements, excepting reading by 25 cents. Fancy needlework and

TODAY'S WEATHER.

PORTLAND, Dec. 18.-Oregon, Idahe and Washington, Wednesday, fair

#### AROUND TOWN.

Call main 661 for your coal requirements. Orders promptly filled.

Bee; B-cen; meals-filting Sun Restaurant, 413 Commercial street.

Patronize home industry and buy your feed, hay and grain at Gaston's mill.

BUN RESTAURANT.

"General Sullivan," the finest 5-cent cigar on the market. Sold everywhere, turned form the Salmon river hatch- to make payments and hold the land Stomach and Liver remedy and he

here.

Japanese goods of all kinds, cheap at the Yukohama Bazaar, 621 Commercial atreet.

Do you smoke? Try a "General Builivan," the finest 5-ent cigar on the market. Bold svery, where,

If you want box wood, slab wood or transfer man. Phone 22M black.

A pleasant thought this wet weather. Herman Wise takes is off the regular price on all rain mackintoshes.

The schooner G. W. Watson cleared yesterday for Honolulu. She takes \$20,000 feet of jumber and 250,000 shin-

made. Manufactured by MacFarlane & Johnson Bros.

Buy your suit and overcoat at Herman Wise's big store. He gives a suit all the local street cars have been proor overcoat free with every ten suits vided with vestibules. The work was or overcoats.

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The Up-to-Date photo studio is open for business. Christmas work promptabove the Asteria Savings Bank.

Baths for ladies at the Palace Baths. Shop open on Sunday mornings for shines and baths. Davis & Corbett. proprietors.

The regular meeting of the St.: Agnea' Guild, of Grace Church, will be held in the vestry room this afternoon at 3 o'clock. A large attendance is desired for business of importance.

H. E. Nelson, James F. Kearney and A. S. Tee should receive every vote honorable men, thoroughly qualified an unsuccessful attempt to take the for the position to which they aspire. life of his wife, will occur tomerrow

The Toke Point oyster house is prepared to supply family orders for the day that she would probably recover. famous Toke Point cysters. Serves There seems to be little doubt that lenge, signed by C. H. Cooper, was oysters in any style. Eleventh Street, Nelson was mentally unbalanced when between Bond and Commercial; phone, he committed the rash act. He went

I carry a list of Roger & Gallet Perfumes in bottle and bulk ,also Pinands Royal Perfumes, Lantiers, Maybells and Carnation; an assortment of Latbine, Gerrells, Cherry Blossom, Matsukita and others.-Chas Rage a.

eryware will please present the same that the thought of his crime promptat C. H. Cooper's while the assortment is large.

An adjourned session of the county court will be held December 21. At that time a successor to Justice of the Peace Brower will be chosen.

The water problem is getting to be

a serious one in Ilwaco. The winter fountain head, and this is coming through the pipes and lodging in the find a conglomeration of fifth always on tap. It is claimed that the cases of typhoid fever now existing in the town is caused from this. It is intended, in improving the system, to arrange supply is only sufficient for domestic Contractor Wirt will today commence purposes.

ed t othe scene of operations, which will be commenced at the corner of Gordon Beil, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Delmonico ciam chowder will be was taken to the hospital on Mon-The Chinaman who was found in Hen Butler." The man was completely paralyzed on the left side and arthus ony: Let Union Labor wer that its friend

Inseph Suprement receives its solid. The proposal for a park levy is to be from plague-infected ports. support at the polls today for mayor, voted for today. As has been previsusly explained in these columns, the WHITE MAN TURNED YELLOW. Fisher firos have leased the Tighe park property was acquired by the Hotel to Mrs. E. W. Cole, who will as. Push Club, members of which advanc-

Peter Grant came down from Portland last evening and will remain in Yesterday a score of voters called at Auditor Nelson's office and asked that they be registered. They all acconviction last evening that the comknowledged that they had ,cad the notices in the papers, but had neglectnames do not appear on the rolls may weight agreed upon, while Tracy will canneries in that section. other firewood telephone Kelly, the vote by being aworn in by six free- tip the beam at IH. Everywhere the greatest interest is taken in the event. Sporting men are not at all anxious for a knockout, but the contest is and fought a 75-round draw. Neill, on clear skin, rosy cheeks, rich complex- made on said street. his return to San Prancisco, is said to jon. Only 25c at Hart's Drugstore. have spoken disparagingly of Tracy. Patrinize home industry by smoking and many others, too numerous to and the latter has since been anxious the "Pride of Astoria" cigars; finest mention, have just been received by for another fight with him. Tracy will be a few pounds lighter than Netll, but he is considered a trifle more scientific In accordance with the law passed than the Californian, making it about

> Vote the straight Republican ticket done at the car barns of the Asteria today.

Electric Company, under the direction | A. B. Hammond spent the night with of Superintendent Coolidge. The Im- D. K. Warren, at Warenton. Yesterprovement is made for the benefit of day Mr. Hammond invited a number the motormen, who otherwise would be of Astorians, including Mr. Whipple, subjected to the cold. The life of the to go on a jaunt over to the West Side. motorman is hardly a pleasant one The party went down on a special and shop at 421 Bond street and is prepared during the winter months, but the trip was quite an enjoyable one. vertibule attachment will afford pro- Messrs. Hammond and Whipole had a long talk about the upbuilding of cities and the proper manner in which sub-Vote the straight Republican ticket stantial growth should be brought about. Among the members of the There are several alterations in the party were some sawmill ben and also election laws that will sorty in Asto. Mr. LaSele, of the Universal Sash and ria for the first time today. The judges Door Company. Mr. Hammond said are now required to call the number during the day that he wa saleterly finished. 178 Tenth street, two doors of the vote, as well as the surname of mined to develop Asteria's advantages, the candidate voted for, while the third, and received hearty assurance that he judge, who files the ballots, is required would be assistde in every possible to write his name and the number of maner by the people of the cly. In-Private entrance on side of building, the ballot across the back of each dications are that misunderstandings licket. This, of course, must be done will not again arise, and that ere long as each ballot is counted. The judges everyone interested in Astoria's welwho count the ballots and call off the fare will unite in the common cause names and numbers are not remitted of building up a metropolis at the mouth of the great Western river.

Those who believed that interest in A vote for the straight Republican bowling had long ago died should pay ticket is a vote for good, honest, and a visit to the Commercial Club allays, where twenty bowlers can be found at almost any time of the day, and al-The funeral of the late J. O. Nelson. cast today. They are competent and who killed himself Monday night after most twice that number during the taken up with the sport, and the alleys are crowded. Some excellent scorafternoon. Mrs. Nelson is quite badly ing was done yestetrday, though for a injured, but Dr. Fulton said yestertime bowling will be a trifle awkward. Yesterday the following chalposted on the bulletin board: "The undersigned hereby challenges H. Wise home Monday night and sat down to to bowl a series of twenty games for dinner. He appeared sullen and said the club championship." It is underbut little to his wife. Suddenly arising stood Mr. Wise will accept the chatfrom the table, he attacked her with lenge. All the blowers concede that friends of the family that Nelson the championship rests tetween the a pocket knife. It is the opinion of thought he had killed his wife, as she was lying at the back door when he test. Tonight the aleys will be forleft her and returned to the house, and mally opened. The newly elected officers of the club will make it their business to entertain club members ed him to drive the knife blade into and their lady friends. Of late the Commercial Club has been receiving many new members, and yesterday Vote to empower the wark commisthere were nineteen new applications on the bulletin board. It is expected Captains Edwards and Fuller arriv- the membership will soon reach the

Cattender Transportation Company's new steamer Jordan. The Jordan is launch Gertrude on the route between houses of the city will remain open provided with electric lights and is liwaco and Fort Canby. The launch after 6 o'clock. The agreement beheated by steam. She has not yet will run on regular schedule to ac- tween the merchants and the clerks' been finished, but when the work has commodate the soldiers at Canby and union was that the stores should be been completed she will be one of the persons desiring to visit the place kept open after 6 o'clock between Definest boats on the river. She left up from Hwaco. Heretofore, the only cember 10 and 25, but owing to a for Portland last night to bring a means of reaching the place was on misunderstanding the stores were barge down to Knappton. Within a the steamer Nahcotta and as this boat not open last night. The hour for short time she will resume her regular only remains at Canby for a short closing has been left to the merchants run between Astoria and Deep River, time, visitors could not accomplish the President Kline, of the clerks' associaso compelled to remain over night in goods before 6 o'clock. In extreme rains are washing sediments into the Hwaco, or walk over a very rough cases, where persons who are to leave hydrants, where the citizens always football team to practice on the liwaco The new boat will enable the Canby need articles, proprietors usually acgrounds in preparation for the holiday no abuse of this condition and the

water for fighting fire, as the present good by Collector Fox for neglecting ed at 6 o'clock except on Saturday to provide herself with a consular bill nights. of health from the American consul-Vote the straight Republican ticket at Hobart, Tasmania. The Europe likaewise neglected to observe the pre- terribly annoying, but Buchlen's Ar-Aste's master was not aware that the piles on earth. It has cured thousands. M. Rell, died at 6 o'clock yesterday bill of health was essential. The mat- For injuries, pains or bodily eruptions morning at St. Mary's hospital. He ter has been referred to the treasury it's the best salve in the world. Price department and it is likely the fine 25c a box. Cure guaranteed, Sold by day night. His condition was not con- will be remitted, as was done in the Hart's Drugsfore. case of the Europe. With the rapid end came. He was a native of Wah- growth of the French merchant makiakum county, Wash., and had re- rine such errors on the part of French sided with relatives in this city for captains may be expected. Many of the past five years. The funeral will the skippers have sailed for years O. Nelson, will be held from the lodge occur today. Services will be conducts between foreign ports and usually on hinatown Monday night by Officer ed at I o'clock at the residence of the first trip to an American port ne-Thompson died yesterday at St. Mary's Captain W. H. Hobson, 276 Ninth gleet to observe some such precaution, applied. He was generally known as afreet, by Rev. Henry Marcotte, of the with the result that fine is imposed. Presbyterian church and the inter- The treasury department is inclined to ment will be in Greenwood. Decreased he very fair, however, and as a rule there was absolutely no tope for him. was a brother of Mrs. Chartes Hobson, the fine is remitted, being allowed to stand only in cases of vessels coming

Great consternation was felt by the time charge to about a month. The of the necessary money to meet the friends of M. A. Hogarty of Lexington, reporty is to be repaired by the own- payments. It has always been under. Ky, when they saw he was turning ers who expect to spend comething stood that the city would take the yellow. His skin slowly changed color, like \$4000 in fitting up the building, property off the hands of the club, also his eyes, and he suffered terribly. BEST 15-CENT MEAL; RISING The building will be named the Cole, The land was purchased at a very His malady was Yellow Jaundice. He reasonable figure, and if the city does was treated by the best doctors, but Frank Brown, field superintendent not take up the obligation the park without benefit. Then he was advised of the state fish commission, has re- trustees of the Push Club will continue to try Electric Bitters, the wonderful ery, on Salmon eiver, about 35 miles for the club. In view of the fact that writes: "After taking two bottles I Call at the Occident barber shop for from Oregon City. He placed in the the property is worth many times the was wholly cured." A trial proves its bronchitis. " writes Mrs. W. K. Havilup-to-date work. Three first-class bar hatchery 500,000 solmon eggs, which he purchase price, voters are urged to matchless merit for all Stomach. Liver and, of Armonk, N. Y., "but, when all brought a few days ago from the cast their ballots in favor of the levy, and Kidney troubles. Only 50c. Sold by Frank Hart, Druggist.

The P. P. & N. Co. informs the the city for a few days to look after Trade Register that the Whatcom rebusiness interests. He expressed the port about the company's fleet going out of commission at Fairhaven and ing Neill-Tracy sparring exhibition Eliza Island, there to be refitted for would be the best ever seen in the next season, is incorrect. It will be ed to take warning. Voters whose Northwest Neill will go in at 148, the only such small boats as work for the

WHAT'S YOUR FACE WORTH!

Sometimes a fortune, but never, if

Captain W. H. Whitcomb placed his Beginning tonight, all the business object of their visit within her sched- tion, states that the people are now ule time. People from Canby were al- educated to the idea of purchasing road a distance of over three miles, the city very early in the morning commodate them, but there has been merchants have been fair at all times. The union is inclined to be reasonable The French bark Asie, sister ship and no friction has occurred as Yet. of the Europe, was yesterday fined After Christmas the stores will be clos-

If he'd had lich ng Piles. They're caution and was also fined \$5000. The nica Saire will cure the worst case of

WORKMEN, ATTENTION.

The funeral of our late brother, J. room in Pythian hall, Thursday, Dec 12. at I o'clock. Interment in Greenwood cemetery. Fines for non-attendance will be enforced. By order, M. W. THOS. E. PARKER. Attest -J. C. M'CDE, Recorder.

British bark Santa sailed from the Fraser river for Liverpoot with 40,000 cases of salmon. British ship Red Rock ready to sail Tuesday from the Fraser for London with \$1,600 cases valued at \$400,000. The Red Rocy is the sixth of the season's Fraser salmon fleet. British ship Charles Cotesworh left Victoria for England with 44.491 cases of salmon valued at

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