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We have a very fine line of Pipes, and also some elegantly decorated lamps, some of which arrived too late for the holiday trade.

ROSS, HIGGINS & CO.

The Morning Astorian

TELEPHONE 61

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS

Change of copy must reach the business office by 3 p. m. to secure appearance in the following morning's edition.

TODAY'S WEATHER

NORTLAND, Dec. 31. Western Oregon, Washington and Northern Idaho cloudy with occasional rain; warmer in Northeastern Washington; Eastern Oregon, partly cloudy.

AROUND TOWN

Try Heine's mixer. It's also Johnson Bros.

Nice Navel Oranges may be had of Johnson Bros.

Call main 61 for your coal requirements. Orders promptly filled.

New Boston meals—Rising Sun Restaurant, 812 Commercial street.

The British bark "Cantor" left up the river yesterday for a grain cargo.

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

BEST 15-CENT MEAL. RISING SUN RESTAURANT.

"General Sullivan" the finest 5-cent cigar on the market. Sold everywhere.

Call at the Occident barber shop for up-to-date work. There first-class hair care.

Japanese goods of all kinds, cheap at the Yokohama Bazaar, 812 Commercial street.

Chinese sandwiches are excellent for a dainty lunch. Ask us about them—Johnson Bros.

Do you smoke? Try a "General Sullivan" the finest 5-cent cigar on the market. Sold everywhere.

If you want box wood, slab wood or other dressed telephone Kelly, the transfer man. Phone 2111 black.

The Norwegian bark "Olivia" departed yesterday for the United Kingdom, she took 1400 bushels of wheat, worth \$44.00.

Patrolize home industry by smoking the "Pride of Astoria" cigars. Finest made. Manufactured by MacFarlane & Knobel.

Court Astoria, Foresters of America held their annual dance last evening. A very large crowd was in attendance and the affair proved most successful.

If you are particular as to what kind of whiskey you drink try "Old Deacon" and you will get "The Finest Yet." For sale everywhere. Foard & Stokes, distributors.

WAIT FOR OUR ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE January 2d, 1902 Dry Goods, Notions THE A. DUNBAR CO.

Union watch-night services were held last evening at the Methodist church, Rev. Marcotte, of the Presbyterian church, Trumbull, of the Baptist church, Dell, of the Congregational church, and Oberg, of the M. E. church, taking part.

A. M. Smith, of the law firm of Smith Bros., stated last evening that he would shortly institute suit for \$2500 damages against "Paddy" Lynch and J. J. Kenney for unprovoked assault on John Held.

Manager Harris, of the Harris Ice Machine Company, was in the city yesterday. While here he prepared estimates of the cost of installing an ice plant in the new cold-storage warehouse to be erected at the old Hanthorn cantery by the Columbia River Packers' Association.

The laughable farce comedy "The Luratic" was presented at Fishers' last evening by the Fisher-Van Cleve combination in another packed house.

The solemn ways and means conference yesterday opened bids for the city advertising for the coming year. The committee advertised for the bids, those inserting offers from week-ly papers for printing these notices.

The steamer Fulton arrived yesterday from San Francisco to load lumber at Portland. The schooner "Hutch" also arrived for the same purpose.

The Astorian will not be closed tomorrow. This determination is due not so much to a desire on the part of the employees of the paper to celebrate the new year as the necessity of making some changes in the mechanical department of the office.

The man arrested by the police on Monday for insanity was yesterday examined by the sanity commissioners and ordered committed to the state asylum. He is 25 years of age and was taken to state last night.

The steamship Pembroke-shire, Astoria and Knight company arrived down the river last evening. The Pembroke-shire has a partial cargo and will complete her load at the Columbia River Packers' Association wharf.

The date for the boxing contest between the married and unmarried members of the Commercial Club has not yet been fixed.

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The accident occurred shortly before 5 o'clock. The steamship was in command of Pilot Pope when the disaster happened. It appears that the buoy at the reef had been removed from its customary position.

The vessel continued on her way down stream and was taken past the city, but later returned to the Sixth street pier, where she is now moored. While she is taking considerable water, the pumps were kept running last night and the water did not make headway.

It was stated last night that repairs could be made without placing the ship on the drydock. It is likely the cargo will be taken from the damaged section and repairs made from the inside.

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SERIOUS DISASTER TO THE PEMBROKE-SHIRE Big Carrier Struck on the Sylvia de Grasse Reef and Stove a Hole in Her Bottom.

The Oriental carrier Pembroke-shire struck on the Sylvia de Grasse reef while coming down from Portland yesterday afternoon, and now lies at the Columbia River Packers' Association wharf in a leaking condition.

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SKIRTS SHANAHAN'S Arrived from the East by Express on Thursday. Call and Inspect Styles and Prices SKIRTS SKIRTS

SPECIAL CROCKERY SALE Monday, January 6, and for the week we will sell 20 Per Cent Off. Chinaware, Dinner Sets, Vases and Bisque Figures. Glassware, Tea Sets. At 20 Per Cent Off. FOARD & STOKES COMPANY

NOTICE Astoria, Ore., Dec. 28, 1901. Tenders for the raising of the French barque "Henriette," now lying sunk to the east of Gillman's ledge in the harbor of Astoria, and placing her alongside of a dock at Astoria or to be beached in a suitable place so that she can be discharged at all stages of the tide.

Dr. T. L. Ball DENTIST 524 Commercial St., Astoria, Ore. J. A. FASTABEND GENERAL CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER

CAUTION! Before you buy a stove or range examine the Royal Charter Oak. Better work, less fuel and labor, and last longer. Prices reasonable. W. J. Scully, 431 BOND STREET, Between Ninth and Tenth

THE PALACE Finest Restaurant in the City Regular Meals 25 cents Sunday Dinner a Specialty EVERYTHING THE MARKET AFFORDS W. W. Whipple Our first shipment of 1902 Wall Paper just arrived and more on the way. You Must Look Before you can see our new coloring and designs, the ideas are as bright as a summer morning, and suited to every kind of room and style of furniture. There is nothing prettier on paper than these varied designs. Give us a call. C. M. Cutbirth ASTORIA, No. 127 7th street; phone 2088.