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The Morning Astorian

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THE WEATHER.

PORTLAND, Feb. 4.—(West by Oregon.) Western Washington, occasional rain, brisk to high equally winds with southwest gale at sea. Eastern Oregon, Eastern Washington and Idaho, occasional rain or snow, brisk south-easterly winds.

AROUND TOWN.

The county court will meet in regular session this morning.

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

The steamer George W. Elder crossed out for San Francisco Sunday.

Call at the Occident barber shop for up-to-date work. Three first-class barbers.

Japanese goods of all kinds, cheap at the Yokohama Bazaar, 621 Commercial street.

Typewriting done at reasonable rates, composition a specialty. W. C. Bishop, Central Hotel, Commercial St.

The British ship Isby, wheat laden for Europe, is on the way down from Portland.

If you want box wood, slash wood or other firewood, telephone Kelly, the transfer man. Phone 2211 black.

MR. H. COOPER'S ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE WILL POSITIVELY CLOSURE ON SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8TH.

The British ship Blackthorn has cleared at the customs house with 13,543 bushels of wheat, valued at \$47,500.

Are you fond of vegetables? If so, call and let us tell you about preferred stock, the best to be had in town.—Johnson Bros.

For Sale—One Jersey cow (dry); or would exchange for a good new milk cow. Address or apply to Samuel Elmore.

The British barkentine Benfield cleared at the customs house yesterday with 65,203 bushels of wheat, valued at \$41,974.

The Bailey Gatzert will resume her regular trips today between this city and Portland. The river is now sufficiently clear of ice to make the trips without interruption.

Another shipment of cheese sandwiches, Virginia biscuits, Athens, Ramona and Champagne wafers, just in.—Johnson Bros.

Patronize home industry by smoking the "Pride of Astoria" cigars, finest made. Manufactured by MacFarlane & Knobel.

THE LAST WEEK OF C. H. COOPER'S ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE WILL WIND UP ON SATURDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 8.

ALL THIS WEEK

OWING to the extraordinary demand for our goods at Clearance Sale Prices we have decided to continue the sale for this week so that no one will be disappointed. This is for your benefit and will only last this week.

Our Great Clearance Sale Will Be Continued

NO OTHER STORE OFFERS THE ADVANTAGES NOR CAN THEY DUPLICATE OUR PRICES—A STORE FULL OF STARTLING BARGAINS FOR ALL.

THE A. DUNBAR CO.

566 Commercial Street.

Astoria's Popular Store.

W. E. Dement has discontinued his hardware business on Commercial street, and will hereafter devote his time to dairying on his farm on the Lewis and Clark.

The tea to be given by the ladies of St. Agnes guild, at the residence of Mrs. George H. George this afternoon, promises to be most successful. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

The French bark Henriette and her lumber cargo of Oregon pine and California redwood will be at the office of the British vice-consul on Thursday. Recently the Henriette dragged her anchors in Astoria harbor and grounded on rocks, sinking near the O. H. & N. wharf. She has been at the bottom of the river ever since. As it will be very difficult to float her, the bidding for the vessel does not promise to be spirited.

The steamship Columbia, which arrived yesterday morning from San Francisco, had a very pleasant trip until she reached the mouth of the Columbia, where a hard blow was encountered. The Columbia had a large quantity of iron aboard and this portion of her cargo shifted during the pitching of the vessel. The iron was shifted over onto the fruit cargo and much of that consigned to foreign merchants was ruined. The shifting of the cargo gave the Columbia a big list and she was well over on the side when she reached her dock.

At a recent meeting of Central Labor Council the invitation of Rev. Mr. Bell was accepted to attend the First Congregational church of this city in a body next Sunday evening. At that time Mr. Bell will speak on "Labor."

All labor union men in the city are also requested to be present. The following standing committees were also appointed for the ensuing term: organization, Welch Williams and Chase; executive, Anderson Nelson, Reed, Hough and Jorgensen; arbitration, Hannaford, Jacobson, Lornsen, Hooper and Kinney; legislation, Lornsen, Tyler, McLaughlin, Zelniewski and Miller; press, Levens, Gerdies and Lornsen.

Judge Goodman, Auditor Nelson and County Clerk Whitney yesterday drew the following list of jurors to serve in the police and justice's court during the ensuing year: Charles McLean, A. J. C. Schroder, Ole Jellness, S. A. Miller, W. D. Sharpe, Alex. Pundt, Alex. Tagg, Hans Christensen, H. Spindler, E. H. Strummen, C. L. Turner, C. P. Johnson, Floyd Dement, J. J. Granger, George Johnson, S. M. Gallagher, Fred Sherman, William Edgar, Frank Wilson, Thomas Nelson, James Robertson, P. A. Stokes, W. T. Charter, H. Zapf, Fred Barker, George Lindstrom, E. C. Lewis, Wm. Ross, Gus Holmes, John Zambra, Erik Mannila, G. O. Moen, T. O. Trullinger, Dan Gamble, Louis Agren, L. Lebeck, Chris Gramms, P. Gilmore, G. W. Sanborn, George H. George, A. J. Taylor, R. M. Gasson, Alex. Bremner, S. Schmidt, A. McPharland, C. Kravney, Harry Gray, Louis Belmer, C. C. Rosenberg, D. M. Stuart.

In the probate court yesterday W. W. Whipple was appointed administrator of the estate of the late Charles McDonald. The estate is valued at \$100 and Mr. Whipple's bonds were placed at \$200.

A capable woman, competent nurse, and two daughters, aged 11 and 15, are desirous of securing respectable work of any kind, at low wages or for board. Apply to Mrs. Creighton, the Astor House.

In the probate court yesterday F. R. Stokes, guardian of Carl Isaacson, was authorized to sell property belonging to the estate. E. M. Grimes was appointed guardian ad litem of the Lottus children, to protect their interests in the S. K. Stanley estate.

Mayor Suprenant yesterday signed the ordinance making appropriations for the various departments of the city government. The document was taken to the mayor's residence by a messenger and there signed, as it was desirable that the amounts appropriated be available immediately.

We carry many kinds of Schilling's Best Roasted Coffee. We have their Central American and Hawaiian blend. Their combination blend of Java and Hawaiian. Their Mocha and Java blend, and many others too numerous to mention. Try this coffee. We will gladly refund your money if the goods do not give entire satisfaction.—Johnson Bros.

Fishers' opera house was packed last evening by an audience anxious to hear Mr. Falkenberg, father of Woodcraft in America. Mr. Falkenberg's address was a powerful one and he kept his hearers interested throughout the evening. The Woodmen, the speaker said, now numbered 245,000, ranking fourth in this country, while no other order has made such rapid strides in membership. The order has a reserve fund of over \$500,000, and since its inception has paid out \$3,600,000 to widows and orphans. Mr. Falkenberg spoke highly of the work of all fraternal organizations, being particularly flattering of course, to Woodcraft. Charles V. Cooper, head banker of the order, detailed the manner in which the accounts of the order are handled and kept the audience in good humor with a steady stream of genuine wit. During the evening an excellent musical program was rendered, under the direction of Mrs. J. T. Ross, who sang some of her sweetest songs. Miss Shively and Miss McCall, also rendered solos, which elicited warm applause. The stringed orchestra of the Convent of the Holy Names and the Columbia orchestra added to the excellence of the program with delightful overtures. Frank Meany recited "Luke" and the "Ravings of John McCulloch," in a masterly manner. The accompanist of the evening was Miss Madge Sovey.

Governor McBride of Washington, has deposited the old Washington pilot commissioners—D. R. English, Judge J. J. Brumbach and M. J. Keefe—and has named the following new commissioners: Charles E. Kerlee and John Wilson, of Ilwaco, and Charles Payne, of Chinook. Governor McBride makes the following apology for ousting the old commissioners: "Serious complaints as to the pilot service at the mouth of the Columbia river are being made by the press, masters and owners of vessels, and business men engaged in shipping from Columbia river ports. This state has a board of pilot commissioners of the Columbia river and bar. From such investigations as I have been able to make, I am not satisfied with the present board. It is charged that shipping has suffered great delay by reason of inefficient pilot service. The state of Washington is greatly interested in the question of an open river to the sea, and everything possible should be done to add shipping and prevent delays. Such was evidently the intention of the legislature in providing for the appointment of a board of pilot commissioners. I have appointed Mr. Charles Payne, of Chinook, and Messrs. Charles E. Kerlee and John Wilson, of Ilwaco, to succeed the present board, their appointment to take effect at the expiration of the term of the present board, to-wit, February 11, 1902. I shall expect these gentlemen to do everything in their power to prevent delays and to establish a system of official pilotage." The old board held a meeting yesterday to hear complaints with reference to the pilotage and bar service, but there were no complainants. In anticipation of an effort to "knock" both services, a number of interested parties were present. The board considered the matter of Captain Loring Staples' retirement, but deferred action.

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A. Sutherland, a Knappa logger, is in the city.

B. W. Dennis, of Duluth, is a visitor in the city.

W. P. Tanner, of New York, is a visitor in the city.

G. K. Wentworth is registered at the Occident from Portland.

C. C. McGowan, of McGowan, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

James Winter is over from South Bend, a guest at the Occident.

Dr. August C. Kinney left last night for Portland, to be gone for a few days.

Frank Scott, who has been in the city the past few days, returned to Seaside yesterday.

Mrs. James W. Welch returned yesterday from an extended visit with friends in Portland.

W. B. Hawkins and J. A. Haver-ton, well known Ilwaco residents, are registered at the Occident.

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MEDALS ON THEIR CHESTS

Cooper's Crowd Won Out in the Bowling Contest.

Three very pleasant gentlemen from the Commercial Club will be observed walking chestily about town for the next week to come. They are C. H. Cooper, the father of bowling, and P. Peterson and B. F. Allen, co-conspirators. They averaged almost 17 in the three-man contest at the Commercial Club alleys and won the medals in a walk. Peterson's 66 did the business. Six teams bowled last night, the scratch aggregation making a start that looked wonderfully like success. The start ended abruptly, however, and Lave's bunch finished in the very lowest place. The three men in this team will attend Cooper's night bowling school for some months. A feature of last evening's bowling was the cleverly bowled score made by Arthur Peterson. He wound up in one game with a. Last night's scores follow, the handicaps appearing in the fifth column:

	1	2	3	4	H. T.
Cooper	48	39	21	27	49-145
Peterson	40	60	38	37	56-205
Allen	34	27	48	23	52-174
Total	122	126	107	87	563
	1	2	3	4	H. T.
Hanna	32	28	37	40	56-204
Lewis	32	27	34	29	46-142
Kearney	24	25	35	32	64-161
Total	98	90	106	101	545
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H. Wise	52	37	29	27	28-102
Springes	26	20	22	22	88-178
L. Wise	39	26	20	21	56-172
Total	117	83	71	70	541

	1	2	3	4	H. T.
Holt	24	21	29	21	56-151
A. Peterson	25	8	29	42	44-105
McGowan	18	54	29	29	72-152
Total	67	83	87	92	529
	1	2	3	4	H. T.
Ralston	50	28	26	34	44-148
Ross	28	26	35	32	24-123
Mathena	30	46	30	26	50-132
Total	108	100	91	92	491
	1	2	3	4	H. T.
Allen	30	25	19	25	24-124
Sorey	28	22	25	27	41-122
Lays	47	32	46	38	6-153
Total	105	79	90	90	493

The tribulations of the scratch team are attributed largely to the personal woes of Happy Hooley, whose educational difficulties threw him off and disconcerted his partners. Happy has promised to turn over a new leaf and get himself in shape for next week.

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