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The Morning Astorian

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TODAY'S WEATHER.

PORTLAND, April 1.—Western Oregon, showers, cooler in northern portion, except near the coast, brisk to high squally southwest winds. Western Washington, showers, brisk and possibly high southwest winds. Eastern Oregon, Eastern Washington and Idaho, showers, with wind squalls, cooler.

Gastox sells feed, grain and hay.

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

For a good breakfast mush try our Cream Hotted Oats.—Johnson Bros.

Mat Jarvi, up to a late hour last evening had not been able to give ball.

If it is our Perfection Brand Mocha and Java coffee, it's good.—Johnson Bros.

Cooper's bowlers won the final series of games in the Commercial Club contest last evening.

Any child buys as well and as cheaply from us as the most experienced buyer.—Johnson Bros.

Japanese goods of all kinds, cheap at the Yokohama Bazaar, 622 Commercial street.

Wanted—Furnished cottage for the summer by careful tenant. H. G. SMITH, Tremont Packing Co.

Miss Jeanne Dumont, pianist and clairvoyant, is established in apartments in the Page building.

The British ships Buckhurst and Star of Germany, grain laden, arrived down yesterday.

You will find the best 15c meal in the city at the Hulse-San Restaurant, No. 612 Commercial St.

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

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

The Finnish Brotherhood held an enthusiastic meeting at their hall last evening. A large number of men and women were present.

P. A. Kantor, in Welch block, will call for your clothes to clean, dye, repair and press, and will deliver them. Ring up phone, red 2064.

Only one of the three men charged with stealing logs at Westport has been able so far to make bond. The other two are in jail.

The Young Men's Institute will give a grand ball at Hawthorn's hall on the evening of Thursday, April 3, 1902. Admission, gentlemen 50c, ladies free.

The steamer Scallender bid adieu to the Columbia yesterday at noon and steamed away for Anacortes, where she will probably arrive this evening.

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

A new stock of furniture is being installed in the Shanahan building by the Great Eastern Furniture Company. W. Fitzgerald is the general manager in charge.

The Commercial Club has had one of its billiard tables converted into a pool table. This now gives the club one of each and affords the lovers of each game ample opportunity to enjoy themselves.

Howell Lewis, who called yesterday, stated that Fernhill postoffice had secured three mails a week, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, instead of former schedule, and that the people were greatly pleased.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burton, who were married in Salem last Tuesday, are stopping at the Cole. Mrs. Burton is a daughter of State Superintendent of Public Instruction J. H. Ackerman, and Mr. Burton is connected with the Ladd & Bush bank of Salem.

While the British steamer Adato was lying in the harbor yesterday, her chief engineer, William Cornfoot, and John Martin, assistant engineer, renounced their allegiance to King Edward and declared their intention to become citizens of the United States.

The entertainment given by Prof. S. S. Hamill and daughter Minnie at the M. E. church last evening was wit-

nessed by a large audience and is very highly spoken of. The work of Miss Hamill is very meritorious. In Tennyson's "Bugle Song" she made a great hit with the audience.

The bid of N. Clinton & Son of \$235 for rebuilding the roadway across the ravine between Forty-third and Forty-fourth streets, will probably be accepted, as there was no competition. This bridge is all that blocks the completion of the street car line extension to Forty-fifth street.

The British steamship Adato cleared yesterday at the custom house for Manila. She has a cargo of 36,967 sacks of oats, valued at \$48,527; 15,801 bales of hay, valued at \$37,472; 34,722 feet of lumber, valued at \$472; 75,828 feet of cedar piling, valued at \$210, all for the government.

On account of an enterprising advertiser we are compelled to give readers of the Astorian a short news edition today. But advertising pays the paper and the advertiser and the public should appreciate such enterprise sufficiently to bear with the paper in a shortage of reading matter for a few issues.

W. W. Whipple will leave today for Seattle on a business trip. One of the main purposes of his trip will be to induce Seattle people to establish a shipyard at this place. It is one of the best locations in the country for such an enterprise, and as Seattle people are generally on the lookout for such things Mr. Whipple has hopes of getting some of them interested in Astoria.

Officer Kimball arrested George Sandy last evening and lodged him in the city jail for the larceny of a watch. The watch was stolen from Robinson's store about three weeks ago and Sandy had been suspected as the thief, and the officers had patiently waited for his return to the city. The watch was recovered and the supposed thief and the watch are now in the custody of the police.

The local lodge of Elks installed its officers last evening and gave an entertainment afterwards. A large number of the members were present and one of the special features of the evening was the music furnished by Webber and Elliott, of Portland. Mr. Webber is an ex-victorian and was welcomed by his friends generally. The musical specialties were enjoyed very much by the Elks. The entertainment was followed by a banquet.

One of the matters that will be brought before the Push Club this evening will be the importance of looking after sites that have been tendered for public enterprises in the city and to secure other sites. It is the purpose to get these sites in a tangible shape so that they can be shown to men representing factories and other institutions that are expected to be induced to come to Astoria. In other words, the club would have matters in a practical shape instead of having so much on paper.

Commencing next Monday the Cooly repertoire company open their engagement at Fishers' opera house, in the great comedy drama, "The Mouth of the Cannon." This is the play that gives (Our Terry) McKean great scope to show his ability. Terry will be given a great avouion next Monday night. The repertoire is one of the best that has ever been presented in Astoria. Seat sale opens next Saturday morning at Griffin & Reed's.

Judge Gray returned from Portland last evening. He stated that things were lively there from a political standpoint, but that today the real time would come when the state ticket is nominated. Between Geer and Furnish it was difficult last evening to determine which stood the best show. The main thing charged against Geer was that he was allied with the Simon element and then it was charged against Furnish that he has not been working with the party long enough to be so. It will be a close fight, and until the convention determines, no one can tell what will be done. A caucus was held last night, which may determine a great deal in the fight.

Following is a synopsis of the weather at Astoria for the month of March, 1902, as given out by Observer Johnson. Mean temperature, 44.6 deg.; average temperature, 18 years, 45.7; average deficiency of daily mean temperature during the month, 1.1 deg.; prevailing direction of the wind, SW. 23 per cent; total precipitation during the month, 10.41 inches; average precipitation for March, 19 years, 7.29 inches; excess during March, 1902, 3.12 inches; total precipitation since September 1, 1901, 67.53 inches; average for same period, 51.18 inches; excess rainfall since September 1, 1901, 6.35 inches; rained on 28 days; two days clear; 12 days partly cloudy, and 17 cloudy; frost two days;

melling snow one day; hail two days; fog two days.

County court will convene today for the regular April session.

The ladies of the order of Maccabees, Columbia Hive No. 4, assisted by Gateway Tent No. 23, Knights of Maccabees, held an interesting entertainment last evening. A well selected program was rendered after the routine work of the regular meeting was over and then came a dance and social good time. There were also a number of articles raffled off and a number sold at auction. The Columbia Hive now has about 40 members. Less than two years ago there were only about eight active members. For the large increase in membership a great deal of credit is given Lady Commander May who has been untiring in her work. The order was short of funds and the entertainment was given last evening to replenish the treasury. By the combined efforts of the commander and assistant committees a snug sum was raised last evening and the lodge is now in good shape financially. Among the renditions on the program was a piano duet by Mrs. Cairns and Miss Kearney which was very good. A recitation by Miss Birdie Wise was well received and showed excellent talent. A song by Miss Mabel Larsen and a declamation by Miss Josie May caught the audience. An instrumental selection on the piano by Miss Gertrude Kesney and a reading by Miss Sarah May followed. Then came a selection by the Mandolin Club, a declamation by Miss Olsen, another selection by the Mandolin Club and the remainder of the evening was devoted to dancing, games and a general good time.

Reports come from Portland that the Hon. C. W. Fulton is the choice of a majority of the delegates in attendance upon the state convention for United States senator. It is also stated that the question was raised on the point of having the state convention pass a resolution endorsing him for the position, but that his friends decided not to have the resolution passed. It is also stated that the Simon faction endorsement of any candidate is a Jonah to him and that if Governor Geer is defeated this will be the principal cause of his defeat. What are known as the Multnomah independents seem to hold the balance of power all the way through, and they are wielding a large knife against anything that has a Simon odor. They claim to be the real Republican representatives and that the Simon faction, or the so-called regulars are but the representatives of corruption and greed. The people of this state usually do about right in the end and whichever may be right of the Portland division will tell in the end. There are doubtless good men and good Republicans on the wrong side whichever that may be, and while they are conscientious in their present stand, as soon as they discover the error of their way they will get back in line. Multnomah is a power in the politics of this state, and it is well that the side in the right should win, for the side in the majority practically dictates the naming of the officers of the state. It is not proper that this should be done by men in error.

Stone left last evening for a short visit with friends in Portland. Tom P. Robertson of San Francisco, came in on the night train. W. J. Eareckson, of Portland, reached the city last night. A. G. Van Patten, Edgar Woods and E. Bell are all here from Illinois. W. G. Howell was a passenger on the train for Portland last evening. Mike Gorman, the war horse of Cathlamet, was in the city yesterday. E. C. Blackburn, the irrepressible Clatskanie editor, was in the city yesterday.

LIBRARY BENEFIT. The amusing farce "The Spinners' Return from Oklahoma" will be given at Fishers' opera house on April 5, for the benefit of the Public Library. The Spinners' orchestra, the female drummer and Prof. Manteaux in his clever specialties, are a few of the things you should not miss. Admission, downstairs, 50c; gallery, 25c; box sheet opens Thursday morning at Griffin & Reed's.

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