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We have a large stock of Armour & Co.—Franco-American—and other brands of soups—Oxtail, mock turtle chicken etc. First class goods, but put up in large cans. The regular price is 35c but the cans being larger than usually called, for we say 20 cts.

ROSS, HIGGINS & CO.

The Morning Astorian

TELEPHONE 461.

TODAY'S WEATHER.

PORTLAND, May 2.—Oregon, Washington and Idaho, partly cloudy, probably light rain.

Gaston sells feed, grain and hay. Try our peeled apricots in cans; they are excellent.—Johnson Bros.

Fancy full weight creamery butter, 50c per roll at Johnson Bros. Call Main 661 for your coal requirements. Orders promptly filled.

For rent.—7-room house, modern improvements. Inquire at 171 Exchange Street.

Japanese goods of all kinds, cheap at the Yokohama Bazaar, 822 Commercial street.

Another shipment of fresh smoked Eastern ham and bacon just in.—Johnson Bros.

Mrs. Rasmussen does up lace curtains to perfection. Leave orders at Oregon Bakery.

We are selling any of our best brands of creamery butter at 50c per roll.—Johnson Bros.

Three expert workmen at the Occident Barber Shop. Porcelain baths. Best bootblack in the city.

You will find the best ice meal in the city at the Rising Sun Restaurant, No. 612 Commercial St.

For rent.—Three furnished rooms for housekeeping. Inquire at 405 Exchange street, or 41 Bond street.

A very large assortment of screens in new and up-to-date designs to select from at Charles Hellborn & Son's.

If you want box wood, slab wood or other firewood, telephone Kelly, the transfer man. Phone 2311 black.

Ice cream 15 cents a pint at the Parlor Candy Store. We guarantee our ice creams to contain no gelatine or starch.

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

Dining room tables—a car-load direct from the factory, which we are offering at remarkable low prices. Chas. Hellborn & Son.

Can't be beat, our J. W. Creamery Butter. Try it, and if it does not please you, your money will be refunded.—Johnson Bros.

Rock Springs, Franklin and Newcastles coal. Orders promptly filled. S. Elmore & Co., agents, phone 661. Coal depot at foot of Seventh street.

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. Suits to order from \$3.11 up.

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

Ladies fine hair switches, rats and tribbles. All kinds of hair goods. Fine line of hair tonics and barber supplies. Will call on you if desired. A. E. Peterson, Occident Barber Shop.

Just the time to beautify the home with some choice works of art. Special low price sale of frames and framed pictures at Svensen's Book Store, 357 Commercial street. Be sure to see them.

TO-DAY WE OPEN

A new Line of Couches and Lounges from \$4.95 up

New Carpets, New Rugs, New Matting at Special Low Prices

25 New Iron Beds Arrived to-day in all the new colorings. Price \$2.95 and up.

Bed Room Suits from 13.00 to 25.00

A Fine Line of Rocking, Morris and Dining Chairs.

We carry a complete outfit for Housekeeping Goods Sold on Easy Payments.

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be followed by other Eastern persons who will come to this section to find future homes.

The Republican county central committee met yesterday afternoon and arranged for mass meetings at the following places at the dates mentioned: Thursday evening, May 8; New Astoria, including Warrenton and Clatsop, Saturday evening, May 10; Chadwell, Thursday evening, May 15; Seaside, Saturday evening, May 17; Knappa, Wednesday, May 21; Olney, Saturday, May 24; Westport, Monday, May 26; Astoria, Saturday, May 31. A free train will run to New Astoria, to the rally at which the people of Warrenton and Clatsop are invited.

Captain C. H. Hagerup will take the steamer Alarm up to Bristol Bay, Alaska, leaving Astoria the middle of next week for the Columbia River Packers Association. The captain is an old-timer on the water, having formerly been on the four-masted schooner Fearless. His present trip will break the record in taking small craft on a long run. The voyage will cover nearly 3000 miles and it is one of the longest voyages ever made by so small a craft. The Alarm is only 65 feet in length, 21 tonnage, with 12 feet beam and 7 feet hold. It will be taken to Alaska for work on Bristol Bay for the Columbia River Packers Association.

Mr. E. N. Zeller, of Seaside, who is the manager of the Seaside Pavilion Bath Company, was in the city yesterday, perfecting arrangements for numerous improvements on baths of the company at Seaside. The company has recently completed a new pavilion for dancing purposes with a restaurant attached. The building is 40x100 feet. A large building is now being constructed for a bath-house. It is to contain a pool 2x70 feet and the pool is to be 10 feet deep. The pool is to be supplied with water from the ocean by means of pumps and the water will be heated to a mild temperature. The boats are to be equipped in the latest modern style; there will be spray baths on each side of the pool, and private bath rooms with locks and keys. When completed this institution will equal any of the kind on the Pacific Coast and will be a great drawing card during the coming season to the great seaside resort of the Pacific Northwest.

The Republican campaign in Clatsop county was opened last evening at the Republican headquarters by a smoker given by the Young Men's Republican Club. The club presented a permanent organization by electing the following officers: President, John McCue; vice-president, Martin Knutson; secretary, William B. Young; treasurer, Arthur McLean. President McCue was introduced as the new president; and in an eloquent address outlined briefly the issues of the campaign and introduced Hon. J. P. Cavanaugh, of Portland, as the speaker of the evening. Mr. Cavanaugh was greeted with applause by the large audience present. He presented in an able and forcible manner the issues of the campaign and was frequently interrupted by applause. He condemned the Democratic party for their attempt to destroy the perpetuity of the nation and made a contract with the progressive spirit that has always actuated the Republican party. It was a masterly effort and appreciated by all present. After music by the Foresters orchestra, Chas. Hellborn was introduced and made a brief address. He was followed by S. T. Cornelius, Andrew Dalgly and the officers elect of the club. Hon. C. J. Curtis was called for and spoke of the great influence of the young Republicans in politics. Every one present was presented with a pipe and the smoker was a success. The meeting was the largest held in Astoria and shows that Republican enthusiasm in the campaign is more intensified than in any former campaign.

The case of Baby Adams, child of Jack Adams, who had diphtheria, is now reported out of danger by Dr. Bates. A few days ago it was in a serious condition.

V. H. Coffey, the well known merchant, is spending considerable money making extensive improvements in his store. When completed it will be one of the best in Astoria.

At the meeting of the State Federation of Labor at Portland, May 5, the local Bartenders' Union will be represented by Henry Laxell and J. M. Gillette. President Clarence Tyler made the appointment yesterday.

The steamer Sue H. Elmore arrived yesterday from Tillamook, after a prosperous voyage, bringing with her a large passenger list and splendid cargo of the products of the great Tillamook country.

Mrs. J. T. Ross went to Warrenton last evening to act as a soloist in the commencement exercises to be given by the Warrenton school. Mrs. Ross is one of Astoria's best songsters and will make a great hit.

A. W. Holt is now night operator at the Western Union office and indications are that he will prove one of the best operators the company has ever had at this place outside of the genial manager, Mr. Johnson.

At the entertainment given by the High School yesterday a large crowd of spectators were present. In addition to the exercises announced in yesterday's Astorian, Messrs. Thompson and Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Atken delivered addresses.

Rev. Carl D. Thompson, the great Socialistic orator, from Illinois, will speak on the supreme issues of the hour Monday and Tuesday, May 5 and 6, at 7:30 p. m., at Fishers' opera house hall. All questions answered. Everybody invited. Admission, free.

Mr. F. T. Brown, recently from Montana, but who is preparing to enter the hotel business at Tillamook, arrived from the latter place yesterday on his way to Portland. His family will join him in about two weeks when they will go to Tillamook. He will

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT. Following is the report of the librarian of the Astoria public library for April:

Number of books taken out on regular subscription, 115; on transient subscription, 75; total, 190.

Cash receipts were as follows: Yearly subscriptions (four).....\$12 00 Paid on yearly subscription..... 2 00 Quarterly subscriptions (six)..... 6 00 Monthly subscriptions (one)..... 50 Single books loaned (75)..... 7 50 Magazine loaned (three)..... 30 Art studies loaned (one)..... 05 Fines (13)..... 4 55 Donated..... 15 Total.....\$33 05 Books donated, one.

Number of people visiting the reading-room during the month, 1188. Respectfully submitted, ELLEN GEARY, Librarian.

THE ENGLISH NAVY.

Although the naval strength of England is equal to that of any three continental powers, it is stated they are planning several more powerful warships. They are determined to have the best and most efficient navy in the world. In the selection of a family medicine we see this same spirit being put forth more and more every day, because the people are determined to have the best remedy that can be obtained. It is impossible to purchase a better or more reliable medicine than Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Every member of the family can take it safely, with the assurance that it will positively do them good. It will restore vigor to the system and cure indigestion, dyspepsia, constipation, nervousness and malaria.

CHURCH SERVICES TOMORROW

Captain Mary Parker, of Portland, will assist in the meetings at the Salvation Army hall on Saturday, Sunday and Monday evenings, May 3, 4 and 5. All are cordially invited to attend.

Rev. Harold Oberg will present to his congregations in the Methodist church the following thoughts: At 11 a. m., "God's Challenge to Man"; at 3 p. m., "The Prophet's Plea." Mr. Brewer will sing at the evening service. A warm welcome for all. During spring and summer the Sunday evening service will begin at 8 o'clock and the Epworth League at 7 o'clock.

Rev. Oscar Ostrom will preach morning and evening tomorrow, in the First Lutheran church, Uppertown. All are most cordially welcome.

There will be the usual services at the Baptist church tomorrow, The B. Y. P. U. at 7 o'clock, and evening preaching at 8 o'clock, one-half hour later than heretofore. The subjects of sermons are "The Meaning of the Communion," and "The Church at Antioch." Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

At Grace church on Sunday a celebration of the Holy Communion at 11 a. m. The Junior Auxiliary at 4 p. m., with an address by C. H. Chandler, the diocesan secretary of the Sunday School institute. Evening prayer at Holy Innocents, at 7:30 o'clock.

Presbyterian church. All the evening services begin one-half hour later, viz: Y. P. S. C. E. at 7; church service at 8; morning service as usual at 11. Theme of the morning sermon, "A Law of Growth;" evening theme, "The Unity and Explanation of the Universe." A very cordial invitation is extended to all.

At the last regular meeting of the Ministerial Association of Astoria it was noted that the Sunday evening services in the churches be held one-half hour later than usual making the time of the preaching service 8 o'clock. The change will take effect Sunday, May 4. F. E. DELLA, Secretary.

Preaching services as usual at the First Congregational church at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Theme for morning hour, "The Fruit of the Spirit." Topic for evening, "Christ's Call to the Thirsty." Sunday school at 12:15; Young Peoples Society, Sunday evening, at 7; prayer meeting Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock. A cordial invitation extended to all.

ELECTION NOTICES.

County Clerk Wherity was busy all day yesterday sending out notices of election to the various places in the county yesterday. This is the first time at which this duty has developed upon the clerk. Following is a copy of the notices sent out:

Dear Sir: I herewith hand you two "Notices of Election" which please post in conspicuous public places in your precinct, in accordance with "An Act" passed at the last session of the legislature, which reads as follows: "It shall be the duty of the County Clerk, thirty days before any General Election, and at least ten days before any Special Election, to prepare printed notices of the election and mail two of said notices to each Judge and Clerk of Election in each precinct; and it shall be the duty of the several Judges and Clerks to immediately post said notices in conspicuous public places in their respective precincts."

Pears' What is wanted of soap for the skin is to wash it clean and not hurt it. Pure soap does that. This is why we want pure soap; and when we say pure, we mean without alkali. Pears' is pure; no free alkali. You can trust a soap that has no biting in it, that's Pears'. Established over 100 years.

FOUND AT LAST.

After hunting everywhere for days and weeks, the cheapest place in Astoria to trade. A great many buyers have found just what they wanted in Dry Goods, Ladies and Gents Furnishings, Clothing, Shoes and Millinery. Our system of doing business does not in any manner touch high profits, and the more we sell the cheaper you can buy. We are selling cheaper because we are selling more, and it is to your personal interest to patronize a store that seeks your patronage on a broad basis of fair play. The prices prove and the wear convinces that this is the place to trade. You are welcome, either to look or to buy. MORSE'S DEPARTMENT STORE, 608-10 Commercial St. Astoria, Ore.

Paine's Celery Compound Thousands of Physicians, Men and Women of Note and Position, and People of Humbler Circumstances Say It is Unequaled as a Spring Medicine

A Prominent Business Man Saved From Nervous Prostration. It is by true merit, and true merit alone, that Paine's Celery Compound has won its wondrous popularity in every part of the civilized world. When all other medicines fail, when the best directed efforts of physicians accomplish but little for the banishing of desperate diseases, Paine's Celery Compound saves life and restores health. It is natural, therefore, that men and women saved from the perils and dangers of nervous disease, rheumatism, neuralgia and blood troubles, should acquaint their friends—the sick and well—of what was accomplished for them by Paine's Celery Compound. In this way the good tidings of prompt and effectual cures have been spread from day to day to the remotest towns and villages, and the blessed work of saving life progresses in every direction.

One of the most remarkable cures of recent years effected by Paine's Celery Compound, is the case of Mr. Wyman Nelson, President of the Nelson Grain Company, of Kansas City, Mo. With intense gratitude and thankfulness, Mr. Nelson writes as follows: "I was nervous, despondent, irritable, had no appetite, could not sleep, and had night sweats. My physician said I was threatened with nervous prostration, and advised a rest from business. However, on the recommendation of my partner, I commenced using Paine's Celery Compound, and today I am as sound as a dollar, eat well, sleep well, and am not at all nervous."

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S. Danziger & Co. 608-10 Commercial St. Astoria, Ore.

CONVENTION NEWS

Few, if any of the readers of the Morning Astorian are aware of the fact that another convention is come to town, with headquarters

AT SHANAHAN'S

Shanahan Bldg., Commercial St. Every state in the Union has a representative. A court-cous stenographer attends daily.

OREGON'S REPRESENTATIVE

was unanimously appointed speaker. The very first business of the House was to declare

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15,000 Rolls Just in. More to Follow Latest Designs in Exquisite Colorings.

We will sell you BORDER for your rooms at the SAME PRICE per roll as the wall and ceiling. We keep first-class workmen and guarantee our work. Let us figure on your decorating for 1902.

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Dr. T. L. Ball, DENTIST, 524 Commercial Street Astoria, Ore.

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A consignment of new and handsome patterns just received. You can get a bargain now. Nothing better for the home.

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