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The Morning Astorian

TELEPHONE 461.

TODAY'S WEATHER.

PORTLAND, May 6.—Western Oregon and Western Washington, showers, cooler, except near the immediate coast. Eastern Oregon, Eastern Washington and Northern Idaho, cloudy and threatening, with showers.

Fancy Creamery Butter, 40c and 45c per roll at JOHNSON BROS.

Gaston sells feed, grain and hay. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Alex Palo, of West Astoria, May 3, a boy.

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To Rent—Unfurnished house keeping rooms. Call at 562 Commercial street.

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

Situation Wanted—By a Japanese boy to do house-work. Inquire at 612 Commercial street.

Mr. W. E. Dement went to Portland yesterday, where he will spend a few days on business.

Porcelain baths, champion bootblack, three expert barbers, best of service—Occident Barber Shop.

You will find the best 15c meal in the city at the Rising Sun Restaurant, No. 612 Commercial St.

For Rent—Three furnished rooms for housekeeping. Inquire at 408 Exchange street, or 411 Bond street.

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

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

Patronize home industry by smoking the "Pride 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. Heilborn & Son.

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

A new line of hall racks and hall seats just received at Charles Heilborn & Son's are being offered at very low figures. Call and examine them.

F. 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 \$11 up.

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Ladies fine hair switches, rats and triblys. 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.

Some of the new perfumes just received: Golf Queen; Ping Pang; Yosemite Valley Bouquet; Blue Bells of Scotland; Little Trillion; R. and G.; Seltis and Marshale.—Charles Rogers.

Special Sale of Matting

During the balance of the week all our mattings—worth up to 35 cents a yard, will be sold at

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a course of five lectures on parliamentary law, under the patronage of the Woman's Club of Astoria, beginning June 8th, including dates to June 13th. These lectures are for all, both men and women, and have been placed at the low figure of \$1 for the course, or \$2 for single lectures, so that all who desire instruction in parliamentary usage or are interested in this study will be able to attend.

The water commission held a regular session last evening, but there was nothing before the body except routine business. Sundry bills were allowed to the amount of \$102.39 and the pay roll and extra labor amounted to \$25.

Several murmurings of complaint have been heard about town recently regarding the poor care taken of the old Hill-Side Cemetery. The complainants state that the gates are being broken down, leaving the enclosure open to the ravages of cattle, and that many of the tombstones are becoming marred and disfigured by irreverent hands of malicious intruders.

The steamer Alarm made her trial trip last Monday, with Captain Chas. Hagerup at the wheel. She left the dock near Richard Leathers' boat building establishment shortly after noon and was saluted by all the whistles along the water front as she passed by. About 4:30 she returned after a pleasant run down to the lower harbor. She carries the same engines as the former steamer of that name, but the hull and rigging are all new and improved.

At the meeting of the park commission last evening there was a full quorum present. Harry Hamblet's resignation as secretary was accepted, and August Hilderbrand was elected in his stead. The committee from the Park Club's proposition to purchase a site for a public park, wishing to transfer it to the park commission, was considered and appointed a committee consisting of C. H. Page and Martin Ford to investigate the proposition. The commission then adjourned to meet the first Monday in June.

Mrs. M. H. Leinenweber entertained the ladies of the Eastern Star at her home, 1890 Franklin avenue, yesterday afternoon. The style of the entertainment was a conundrum social, and the afternoon was spent amid laughter and pleasant conversation. Her parlor being decorated for the occasion was adorned with paper stars of red, blue and yellow, the colors of the order which made a picturesque display. Shortly before the ladies took their leave Mrs. Leinenweber treated them with a sumptuous spread of ice cream and cake. Mrs. M. Fowells, in the order in Spirit Lake, Iowa, is being royally entertained by the ladies of Astoria during her visit here with old friends and relatives.

FISH NOTES.

Foreign exports of canned salmon from San Francisco last year were as follows: China 110, Java 75, Bombay 30, Singapore 40.

British Bark Glenmark which sailed from Puget Sound for Liverpool April 14, carried 26,562 cases of salmon.

The Fairhaven Can Factory recently shipped three million cans for this season's run of fish.

Salmon packing will soon begin on Klamath river.

Salmon are reaching the Baird hatchery near Redding, California.

A San Diego concern has been incorporated with a capital of \$75,000 to smoke and can the fish of that portion of the coast.

Fifteen hundred bushels of seed oysters will be planted in Bellingham bay this season.

EASTERN FISH NOTES.

The great run of herring at Delaware City, is something unprecedented.

The fishermen of Roanoke Island will continue fishing as long as they can get 6 to 12 cents for their shad.

The price paid for fish by the merchants of Baltimore this season has done much toward regaining its lost popularity with shippers.

There is a glut of herring on the Potomac river. They are selling at Baltimore and Washington all the way from 15 to 25 cents per hundred.

Since January 1, one Maine concern has alone shipped upwards of 800 barrels of clams as salt bait to Spain. There were 400 barrels in one shipment.

It is said by experts that it is not too late for a run of shad to make up for the bad season to date, and before the season closes it may equal last year's catch.

The shad fishermen on the Delaware river will find it difficult to pay for their twine this season. Those furnishing it will have to wait for another year for their pay.

SUITS OUR CLIMATE.

The rapidly increasing use of shingles as covering for the walls of buildings, both to keep out the weather and for ornamental purposes, makes a great demand for a shingle stain which preserves the wood, prevents moss, and retains a fresh, handsome appearance. Particularly is such the case in damp climates. The need is well met in a perfect article made right here in Astoria. Outbirth's Oregon Shingle Stain is penetrative, preservative, handsome and durable. They are put up in eight colors and every package guaranteed.

OUR ROYAL CHINOOK.

The Demand is Growing For Them All AROUND US.

An old-time citizen, who used to buy big Chinook salmon here in early days for 50 cents each and often less, and who knows all about salmon, says it is a shame that a person cannot procure prime Chinook salmon in the markets here, such as he can offer to an Eastern visitor and brag about, without perjuring himself, says yesterday's Oregonian. When told that there are quite a number of fine large Chinooks coming to market, he replied:

"Yes, but for the Clackamas and Willamette between Portland and Oregon City. They are pale colored and but little better than the salmon coming here from the Sacramento river." He went on to say that he had been spending a few days at Astoria, and eating Chinook salmon caught in the tidewater, and they were so much superior to the fish caught in the Clackamas and the Sacramento, that there was no comparison possible. When asked why dealers here bought these salmon and why they imported salmon from the Sacramento, he said that they only paid 3 cents per pound for Sacramento salmon and the same for Clackamas salmon. He said the cannerymen down the river will not buy the Clackamas salmon and pack them as first-class fish, and so the dealers here buy them cheap and sell out the supply with Sacramento salmon, and the consequence is that there is no first-class salmon to be had here.

His idea is that dealers here ought to have an agent down the river to buy prime salmon, which they could get by paying a cent or so more per pound for them than the cannerymen do, and so supply their customers, or, at least, those who were willing to pay for it, with first-class Chinook salmon caught in the mouth of the river and brought here the same day in good order.

It has long been a wonder to many why it is or how it is that salmon can be brought here once from the Sacramento river, and probably the old-time citizen's explanation is the correct one. People are giving up eating meat because it is too dear, and they will have to give up eating salmon because it is too cheap.

NEW MEAT MARKET.

Kruse and Malar Bros. have added a meat department to their fish market and are now ready to serve the public with all kinds of fresh meats at most reasonable prices and guarantee to give prompt service. A trial will convince you that the stock is first-class. Kruse & Malar, corner of Bond and Twelfth Sts.

DOPE FIEND DIES.

Is From California and May Be Shipped.

A man by the name of George Gordon was found dead in his bed at Mrs. Kenney's lodging house on the corner of Fourteenth and Commercial streets last night.

About two weeks ago two men applied to her for lodging for the night. They claimed to be on their way to Nehalem, where they were going to take up a timber claim. Their names were given as William Gray and Geo. Gordon. Gordon, who was about 40 years of age, was suffering from the use of morphine to such an extent that Gray was compelled to remain here with him. Mrs. Kinsey, upon learning what ailed him, requested them to leave her house, but Gray could not or did not try to get a permit to bring Gordon to the hospital. So rather than drive them out with no place to go she allowed them to stay.

Yesterday afternoon Gordon had become so delirious that Mrs. Kinsey again requested them to go, as she did not want a man in such a condition to be about disturbing the other boarders. She even went to the Fulton hospital to get an order to have him taken to the hospital, but the doctor said that it would be better to leave him there until morning. By 5 o'clock the victim of dope had arrived at such a critical condition, and his groans of agony had become so disturbing that Mrs. Kinsey called in Officer Oberg, who chanced to be near at the time. A few moments later, when the officer went up into the room, he found Gordon dead.

Gray, who claims to be a brother-in-law of Gordon's, says that the latter came originally from San Jose, Calif., where several of his brothers still live. He also claims that Gordon had a brother and brother-in-law in Portland to whom he will send word this morning, that they may look after the disposal of the remains.

The body has been removed to Pohl's undertaking parlors.

The Foresters will hold their stag dance this evening.

The New Style Chop House will open this morning for business on a better scale than ever.

Mayes Morgan and Ed. Gearhart, appointed by the Teamsters Union to attend the Federation of Labor meeting at Portland could not attend on account of pressure of business.

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FOR COUNTY JUDGE
C. J. TRENCHARD

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FUNERAL NOTICE.

Funeral of the late John Melnen will take place Wednesday, May 7, at 1:30, from Pohl's undertaking parlors, under the auspices of Teutonia lodge, No. 5, O. D. H. S., and the interment will be at Greenwood cemetery.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Members of Teutonia lodge, No. 5, O. D. H. S., are hereby notified to meet at their lodge room, Wednesday, May 7, at 1 o'clock p. m., sharp, to attend the funeral of the late Brother John Melnen. All members failing to be promptly on hand will be fined under the by-laws of the order.

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