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The Morning Astorian

TELEPHONE 461.

TODAY'S WEATHER.

PORTLAND, July 12.—Western Oregon—fair and slightly warmer; Washington and Eastern Oregon—partly cloudy and unsettled weather.

Gaston sells feed, grain and hay. Fresh strawberries 10c per box at Johnson Bros. today.

We are selling fresh Mt. Tabor strawberries at 10c per box today.—Johnson Bros.

You will find the best 15c meal in the city at the Rising Sun Restaurant, No. 412 Commercial street.

New stock of fancy goods just arrived at Yokohama Bazaar. Call and see the latest novelties from Japan.

On next Saturday the Woman's Club will hold its annual meeting to elect officers for the following year.

Send in your order for your winter's supply of fir, slab or hard wood to Kelly, the transfer man. Phone 2211 black.

Chief Stockton would make a fine marshal, if he didn't forget occasionally and imagine he was going to a fire.

All smokers smoke the "Pride of Astoria" cigars. No better made. Manufactured by MacFarlane & Knobel.

Colonel Vinton makes a good marshal and a firm one when it comes to the point of carrying out instructions.

You can buy Newbro's Herpicide, the great dandruff cure, for 75 cents per bottle at the Occident Barber Shop.

A competent girl wanted for general housework. Apply corner Eleventh and Franklin streets. Good wages for good work.

The best smoke a smoker can smoke is the La Belle cigar. It is the product of Astoria skilled white labor and is not excelled.

Wanted—A girl for general housework and plain cooking. Apply at the Kendall residence, corner Third and Exchange.

Professor J. C. McCue went to Portland last evening with the A. O. U. W. excursionists, to be gone for a day or more.

That was a great parade, said Clerk Kline yesterday, but wait until the Fourth and then we will show you the real thing.

Best, cheapest and latest fireworks to be found in the city, at Jesse Fong & Co. 120 Commercial street. Come early and pick out what you want.

Try a pound of our Perfection Blend Mocha and Java coffee and if it does not please you your money will be refunded by us.—JOHNSON BROS.

The voting contest for the "Godness of Liberty" for the Fourth will soon be on. The late political election will not compare with it for a "warm" contest.

Dr. O. B. Ede and family and Rev. L. J. Trumbull returned last evening from McMinnville, where they attended the commencement exercises of the McMinnville College. Miss Lulu Ede was a member of the graduating class.

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Have You Seen

The fine line of Opaque Window Shades we are selling at 25 cents? Live when you live and sleep on one of our hair mattresses. All mattresses made to order from \$30 down to \$7.50. See our Mantle Beds with Yum Yum Springs from \$5.95 up. One hundred useful household articles at 5 cents each. We sell on small profits,

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A. K. Taylor, of Houston, Tex., and Will A. Hassell, of Dallas, and H. L. Gross, an editor from Arkansas, were among the number to call on the Astorian and express their thanks to the people of Astoria for the grand reception yesterday.

Mr. D. C. Blount, while sawing wood Wednesday, accidentally struck his hand against the saw, getting two of the fingers of his right hand slightly out. He will not lose the fingers, and will only suffer for a slight inconvenience for a few days.

Oysters are now in excellent condition as to fatness and flavor. Properly served they form an exceedingly healthy and appetizing food. The freshest and best oysters are most skillfully prepared at the Toke Point Oyster House on Eleventh street.

Subscribers are coming handsomely to the Fourth of July committee and this should encourage those who have not already contributed to get in and help the boys make a great show on that date. The Astorian will publish all of the names and the amounts of the subscription when the list is closed.

There were two fine exhibits at the head of the stairway of Foard & Stokes hall yesterday when the visitors entered the building. A frozen salmon weighing 54 pounds was shown to the visitors, and a German carp, weighing 34 pounds, was on exhibition. This was the largest of this specimen ever caught on the North Pacific coast.

Astoria is to have an interesting game of football next Sunday. Fort Stevens will play the local crack team a return game. Astoria won to Stevens last Sunday, and they broke three to three, when they were compelled to quit on account of rain. The boys hope that next Sunday will be a fair day so that they may teach the soldiers a thing or two.

Astoria was treated to fine music yesterday. The visiting band is one of the best in the state, and when its members heard the local band play they fairly spread themselves. This soured the local band to action and the boys showed the visitors that they knew a thing or two, themselves. As a result, the public was treated to rare music and the local band did not suffer in the contest.

If the persons in pursuit of the fugitive convicts could have had direct communication yesterday with Astoria they could have learned how to have prevented the escape of the prisoners and also how to capture them yet. It is worth several hundred dollars to the man who catches them, but the men who know how to do it have not the time to go and get them.

Just as the down train arrived in the Astoria yard at 10:30 last evening the engine ran into a partly open switch. Fortunately no damage was done, as the train was running at a very low speed, and was brought to a standstill within about 50 feet. What might have been the result had it been at full speed is fearful to contemplate. A large number of Astorians were on board returning from Portland. How the switch came to be left as it was, the railroad officials were unable to determine.

And now comes the Astoria Box Co. and does the right thing. It raised the wages of its employees without any request or any "to do" over the matter. When a company does this it means that it intends to do the right thing by its men, and that the men appreciate it and that they will give better service. Workmen are always willing to do right and if all institutions would treat their men as has the Astoria Box Company there would be fewer strikes and less labor trouble in the country.

Applications are being prepared and signatures obtained by J. C. McCue and A. A. Callan for the position of deputy collectorship at this port, a position now occupied by Mr. D. A. McLean. Mr. McLean has held the position for the past four years, and as a successor is to be appointed to succeed Mr. Fox, present collector, applications are being made possible with the view that with the ending of the term of the collector the deputy will also be changed. Mr. McLean, who has made a good officer, is also an auditor. There seems to be no indication of a change in the position occupied by Mr. Parker in the custom house, as there are no applications in for his place.

Captain Parker, of the Nahcotta, who came over from Ilwaco yesterday on his regular run, stated that Underwood, the notorious child murderer, was probably in Knappton last night. An Indian was in Ilwaco yesterday, who claimed to have brought Underwood across the bay from Toke Point to Bruceport, a distance of six or seven miles, in a small canoe Tuesday night. He was very non-communicative, and about all that he would tell was that he brought the fugitive over and that he was paid for his work. This seemed to satisfy his conscience in the matter, as the "chickamun" received was sufficient to buy his attention. Underwood had been seen after he arrived at Bruceport and from the direction taken, it is supposed that he was trying to make it to Knappton, where he intended to cross the river.

A number of the visitors yesterday took occasion to look up old friends or relatives while in Astoria. With men here from all over the world many of them had acquaintances and relatives in Astoria. Among the callers at the Astorian office yesterday was Mr. J. W. Morrow, of Lynchburg, Ohio, uncle of Mr. George Lewis, the linotype operator on the Astorian. He was delighted with the reception tendered the visitors in this city and said he had never seen anything like it. It was the general expression yesterday that the Westerners beat the world for hospitality, and that Astoria beat the other Westerners.

A committee appointed to draft a constitution for the Astoria Civic Improvement League to be presented for approval by the joint committees from the Push Club and Woman's Club, met at the appointed hour and place yesterday, the full committee being present. A constitution was prepared and the committee adjourned to report at a meeting which is called for Monday evening, June 23, at 7:30 p. m., at the Council chambers. All citizens of Astoria interested in the growth and improvement of the city are urged to attend this meeting. The Civic Improvement League of Astoria will be formed, the constitution adopted and every one will be expected to join and work for a more healthful and beautiful city.

Fire broke out about 6 o'clock last evening in the sitting room of Mrs. Sarah Ross, which is in the rear of her millinery parlors on Eleventh street, between Commercial and Duane streets and did considerable damage before it was extinguished. The chemical engine turned out promptly but the fire was of such a nature that it was difficult to extinguish. It caught in tapestry and curtains and reached the bed and burned garments, generally hanging about the wall. The damage could not be ascertained at the time, but it is possible that it will run up into the hundreds when an inventory is taken. It is supposed to have caught from a wood heater in the room. A fire had just been started in the heater and shortly afterwards a lounge near the heater was discovered to be on fire, and it spread so rapidly that it was all over the room before the alarm could be given. The damage to the millinery and material in the building was considerably from smoke and cinders. There is said to be some insurance.

The circuit court will convene in Astoria for Clatsop County next Monday. There is a large docket to be disposed of during the term, there being 110 cases on the civil docket alone. Many of these, however, have been settled out of court or have been abandoned and will be disposed of in short order. There are three criminal cases, one against Mat Jarvi, charged with killing his father, and Ben Selzman, who is charged with forgery will also be tried, as well as A. Silinski and Herman Winnester, jointly charged with stealing logs, to which a companion has already pleaded guilty and is serving out his term. The dock suit against the City of Astoria, for \$5000 damages, which resulted in a hung jury last term of court is down again for trial this term of the court, being set down for June 17. W. A. Dees case vs. the city to recover \$2675 damages is set down for June 19. The case of Dean Bros. Manufacturing Co. vs. the Astoria Iron Works, which has been to the supreme court and which has been remanded back for trial, is set down for June 20. The case of Reid vs. J. J. Kinney and Paddy Lynch is set down for trial, June 23. The case of Ross & Sprague Co. vs. Taku Packing Company will be heard June 24. It is claimed that the Mat Jarvi case will not be tried at the coming term of court on account of one of the principal witnesses in the case having gone to Alaska for the fishing season.

FOR SALE. \$950—My attractive eight-room cottage, corner Franklin Ave. and Third street. Splendid view; fine lawn; lot 50x100. This property is worth \$1500, but I am leaving the city. Terms one-half cash. If not sold, will rent for \$13 per month. E. C. LEWIS.

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REAL ESTATE.

Charles Hanson to Geo. W. Beckman—undivided half of Northwest quarter section 11, T. 5 N., R. 10 W.; \$500.

E. Stanley to Charles Payne—lot 5, bloc k3, Grimes annex; \$215.

Inez E. Parker to J. Q. A. Bowby—east 60 feet of lot 4, block 146, Shively; \$1.

E. C. Lewis and wife to Wilhelm Moeller—lots 1 and 4, block 83, McClure's; \$200.

C. W. Lewis and G. E. Hartill to Johan Tyberg—3 acres in section 6, T. 6 N., R. 9 W.; \$120.

United States to H. A. Larsen—160 acres in section 35, T. 6 N., R. 10 W.; patent.

United States to C. F. Yergon—160 acres in section 26, T. 6 N., R. 10 W.; \$100.

E. C. White to Astoria Company—160 acres in section 25, T. 6 N., R. 10 W.; \$100.

A NOISELESS TYPEWRITER.

Scientists claim that the exercise necessary to operate an ordinary typewriter together with its noise, tend to injure the health and cause nervousness. A German inventor has therefore perfected a machine which is operated by air pressure on the keyboard and does away with the noise and much of the labor. Its adoption may be one way of preserving health and preventing nervousness, but there is a better and less expensive way, and that is by using Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. All people of sedentary occupation need this wonderful medicine to aid digestion and to keep the bowels regular. It will also cure dyspepsia, biliousness, insomnia and nervousness. Don't be deceived into taking something "just as good." There is no medicine equal to be Bitters.

A GOOD SHOW.

Lowe's Madison Square Theater Co. presented the sensational comedy-drama "Jason Joskins" to another large house last night, and judging from the applause and laughter the audience more than got their money's worth. The company is winning new laurels every night. Tonight the company will produce the great sensational comedy-drama entitled "A Southern Rose," containing many sensational features.

THE LATEST IN BERRIES.

Order while they last. The Loganberry, a hybrid between the tame blackberry and red raspberry; fruit, very large, deep reddish maroon color, rich flavor, no core. Mammoth blackberry, hybrid between the wild blackberry and Loganberry. Fruit very large and melting. Strong flavor of wild blackberry. Canes of both are strong, vigorous and prolific. A dozen plants of either variety bear enough for large family.

Sent, expressage prepaid, on receipt of \$2.50 per dozen. Mention this paper. NOVELTY FRUIT CO., Watsonville, Santa Cruz, Co., Cal.

PROPOSALS WANTED.

Office of C. Q. M. Vancouver Barracks, Wash., June 6, 1902. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received here until 11 a. m., June 25, 1902, and then opened for the construction at Vancouver Barracks, Wash., of one double set officers' quarters. For full information, plans and specifications apply to this office. U. S. reserves the right to reject or accept any or all proposals or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked: "Proposals for construction of buildings at Vancouver Barracks, Wash." and addressed to undersigned. W. A. BETHEL, A. C. Q. M.

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. Cutbirth's Creosote Shingle Stains are penetrative, preservative, handsome and durable. They are put up in eight colors and every package guaranteed.

FOR SALE.

\$110—A square grand piano, in good condition. A bargain. E. C. LEWIS, 706 Franklin Ave.

NOTICE FOR BIDS.

Bids will be received by the county court of Clatsop County, Oregon, until Friday, June 27, 1902, at 2 o'clock, p. m., for the construction of an 80 foot span bridge 12 feet wide, across the Necanicum river in section 24, township 5 north, range 10 west, in Clatsop County, Oregon. Said bridge to be constructed on a site about one mile east of Carl Johnson's place, where the county road from Seaside crosses the said Necanicum river. Bidders will present plans and specifications for said work, together with a certified check for 10 per cent of the amount of their bids, on a good and sufficient bond, as a guarantee that they will construct the said bridge provided they are awarded the contract. Preference will be given to bidders who use the old iron which was formerly in the bridge across O'Hanna creek near Leighton's place. The court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

H. J. WHERITY, County Clerk.

ARRIVED at SHANAHAN'S Ladies' Summer Vests 50 dozen will be placed on sale at following reduced prices SLEEVELESS VESTS—84c, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c, 20c to 75c. WING SLEEVE VESTS—10c, 12 1/2c, 15c, 20c, 25c, and 50c. LONG SLEEVE VESTS—25c, 35c, 50c, 75, \$1 and \$1.25. 15 Dozen CORSET COVERS on sale at 15c, 35c, 50c, 75c and \$1. SHANAHAN'S Shanahan Building Commercial Street

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