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The Morning Astorian

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TODAY'S WEATHER.

PORTLAND, June 13.—Fair, slightly warmer for Oregon, except near the coast; Washington—fair, Idaho—fair, warmer Sunday.

Gaston sells feed, grain and hay.

Little Martha Jacobson is spending a few days with friends in Cathlamet.

A number of Astorians are visiting Portland.

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

According to the Cathlamet Sun the society folks of that city spend their beautiful evenings without fishing.

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

Send in your order for your winter's supply of fir, slab or hard wood to Kelly, the transfer man, Phone 2311 black.

Wanted—Salesmen: \$50 per month, or commission, if preferred. Brown Brothers Company, Rochester, N. Y.

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

The passenger steamer Sue H. Elmore will leave Astoria for Tillamook Bay points on Sunday, June 15, at 11 o'clock.

You can buy Newbro's Herpicide, the great dandruff cure, for 25 cents per bottle at the Occident Barber Shop.

John Hahn was appointed administrator of the estate of John D. Melton yesterday, the estate being valued at \$750.

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

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

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

County Clerk Wherry issued marriage license to Edward Riddlerbush and Viola H. Burchard, both of the Nehalem Valley, yesterday.

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.

Best, cheapest and latest fireworks to be found in the city, at Jesse Fong & Co. 426 Commercial street. Come early and pick out what you want.

John A. Montgomery, at No. 425 Bond street, does all kinds of tinning, plumbing, gas and steam fitting promptly and skilfully and at very moderate prices.

Speaking of the return of the A. O. U. W. and D. of H. members from Astoria, the Oregonian of yesterday stated: "All were delighted with the trip, and are warm in their praise of the reception they received at the hands of the members of the local lodges in Astoria."

Reliable Goods Lowest Prices

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 mat tresses. 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,

GREAT EASTERN FURNITURE CO. Shanahan Building

YOUR CREDIT IS GOOD PHONE 2145 BLACK

Charles E. Payne, one of the Washington pilot commissioners, was over from Chinook yesterday. He says that fish-traps are making good catches now, best since the season opened. He says that the traps down the bay toward Ilwaco are doing the best work. He went to Portland last night.

The election will open next Monday, day. It is a question of buying votes. The man with the longest pocket book and who is willing to spend his money will be entitled to cast the greater number of votes. The "Goddess of Liberty" is to be elected for the Fourth and there will be many fair candidates in the field.

The United Artisans have revived their lodge in this city, under the guidance of District Grand Deputy Way. Following officers have been elected: Mrs. A. Curtis, master; Artisan; James Crouchley, superintendent; Mrs. C. Ekstrom, inspector; A. R. Cyrus, secretary; W. N. Smith, treasurer; E. C. Landingham, senior, and W. Mumpfort, junior.

J. A. Eakin received the intelligence yesterday afternoon that his brother-in-law, Dr. W. J. McDaniel, of Albina, had been run over by a street car in Portland, and instantly killed. He had been called hastily to visit a patient, and was riding a bicycle, when he was overtaken by a car, coming from the opposite direction.

The new county and precinct officers will all assume their duties Monday, July 7. On that date the old ones will step out. In Clatsop County, however, a number of the officers had rendered such a good stewardship that the people decided to retain them and they do not have to step out; they simply take a new oath of office, make new bonds and stay in.

It is announced that there will be no more cheap excursion rates from Portland after July 1. It is claimed that an agreement has been entered into between the railroad and the steamboats to this effect. This arrangement will possibly not effect special rates to summer residents who come to the beach in the summer season every year.

A new saloon will be opened tonight at the corner of Commercial and Twelfth streets by Mr. Henry Disse. He has had the building remodeled and renovated until it is entirely changed on the inside from its former appearance. At a heavy expense the building has been made the equal of any in the larger cities and will doubtless be a popular resort for those who patronize saloons. Charles Weinstein and James Hannaford will be the bartenders for the new place.

A Cathlamet fisherman had regular "fisherman's luck," according to the old adage, a few days ago. His 22d birthday came around and he had a "presentment" the night before that he would make a great haul on his birthday, and went out bright and early. In a very short time, according to the story, the corks began to go under and he thought he was making a great catch. But to his dismay he found later that he had caught a large snag, and in releasing it ruined a fine new net.

The light house tender Manzanita returned yesterday afternoon from Grays Harbor, Wash., where she had been engaged in replacing buoys and otherwise attending to the aids to navigation. Captain Richardson reports having spoken the schooner Vine, of Tacoma, off Shoalwater Bay yesterday. The Vine was flying signals of distress, and proved to be short of provisions. After receiving supplies from the Manzanita she proceeded on her way to Aberdeen, Grays Harbor, with all well and happy on board. She sails from Salinas Cruz, Mexico, and was fifty three days out. Captain Small, of the Vine, is an Astorian man, having once been employed by the Pacific Sheet Metal Works.

The members of Pacific Lodge, No. 58, and Charity Lodge No. 53, who kindly furnished the Astorian with the names of the ladies of those two lodges who had charge of the banquet, which proved such a great success accidentally omitted the names of Mrs. Ida Nyman, Mrs. Lottie Coe, Mrs. Ida Lindbeck, Mrs. Sopronia Cawker and Mrs. Annie Birch and Misses Edith Bernstedt and Mary Loomis, of Pacific Lodge, and Miss Etta Strauss, of Charity Lodge. The members did not intend omitting the names of any of the committee and the Astorian takes pleasure in publishing the names left out this morning. They all covered themselves all over with glory, and if there are others still omitted the Astorian will gladly place their names on the honor roll.

Sheriff Linville arrived from up the river last night just before midnight, with L. Kiss in charge, whom he had arrested at the head of Puget Island about 30 miles up the river, and landed him in jail on the charge of larceny. Kiss was charged with stealing the nets of Pete M. Carlson and John Darglets. The sheriff found him in possession of Darglets' net and he was taking the leads off of it and changing it so that it could not be recognized. He had in his possession evidences that he had doubtless stolen Carlson's net also, and the sheriff thinks that he will land his pal in a few days, besides recapturing the net belonging to Carlson. Linville brought his man, together with Darglets' net, down the river last night in a fishing sail-boat.

The annual city school election will take place on Monday, June 16. Following are the polling places and names of the judges and clerks of election: No. 1, Engine House No. 2; Maxwell Young, judge; Charles Stockton, clerk. No. 2, office of J. W. Welch; J. W. Welch, judge; Thomas Dealey, clerk. No. 3, Adair school; Gus Holmes, judge; N. P. Johansen, clerk. The election is for the purpose of selecting a successor to Director J. E. Higgins, whose term expires. It is expected that this popular official will be re-elected without opposition. The annual school meeting of the taxpayers and directors will take place at the Shively school building in the evening of the same day.

Alex Anderson, the disabled Cape Disappointment life-saver, who went to Paso de Robles, Cal., for his health, about two months ago, returned yesterday much improved. While in the service he was disabled in both feet and rheumatism attacked his ankles and for a long time he has been hobbling about, barely able to walk. His feet were completely dead, having no feeling, whatever. After taking 61 baths at the California resort, circulation again started up in his feet and he is much improved. His ankles are still weak, however, and will never return to their natural state, but by annual treatment of the same nature he expects to earn his own livelihood. He has many friends in Ilwaco, and they are congratulating him on the improvement in his condition.

The Cathlamet people intend celebrating their Fourth of July on June 23, on the occasion of the excursion to the Astoria lodge of Eagles to that place and will come to Astoria to celebrate the real Fourth. Speaking of the preparations that are being made to receive the Astoria Eagles the Cathlamet Sun says: "Cathlamet people will turn the town over to the visitors, as it were, and a grand time can be looked for. Last week several of the more enterprising citizens of the town got together and put the ball grounds in a shape that with a little more work it will be in fair way to bring off all the athletic games and exercises of the day. The Redmen's hall will be neatly decorated with regular boughs and bunting and tendered to the crowd as a big playhouse for the day. The orchestra in attendance will discourse sweet strains of music for those caring to dance and will no doubt be kept busy."

Some Facts and Figures About Term Just Closed.

Professor Clark gave the Astorian some facts and figures yesterday concerning the recent term of the Astoria public schools. The total number of registered pupils, including boys and girls, was 1454. Of these 715 were boys and 639 were girls, a majority of 76 in favor of the boys. This includes the High School, McClure's, Shively, Adair, Olney and Alderbrook. High School and Alderbrook each contained more girls than boys, all of the others having a majority of boys. High School had an attendance of 58, 51 of whom were girls and 47 boys. Alderbrook had a total attendance of 88, 48 girls and 41 boys. McClure, 342, 163 girls and 179 boys; Shively, 273, 112 girls and 161 boys; Adair, 302, 148 girls and 155 boys; Olney 249, 117 girls and 132 boys.

ASTORIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

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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 Crossote Shingle Stains are penetrative, preservative, handsome and durable. They are put up in eight colors and every package guaranteed.

ATTENTION F. O. E.

The regular meeting of Astoria No. 17 Fraternal Order of Eagles will be called to order at 1:30 o'clock p. m. sharp Sunday, June 15, on account of initiation work after which the mid-summer social will take place. All visiting brothers are invited to attend. C. E. FOSTER, J. N. LAWS, Worthy Secy. Worthy Pres.

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10c PERCALES.....6c
HANDKERCHIEFS.....1c
PINS, per paper.....1c
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LADIES' TRIMMED HATS AT LESS THAN COST.

MORSE'S DEPARTMENT STORE 508-10 Commercial St. Astoria, Ore.



OUR SALMON IN GERMANY.

United States Consul Monaghan, at Chemnitz, Germany, has the following under the caption "Oregon Salmon in Germany," in the consular report for June, which has just appeared:

During a recent conversation with a hotel proprietor of this city, I learned that Oregon salmon was sold in Germany to a very limited extent. This gentleman believes that a large business can be done in this particular fish, if special attention is given to transportation. He said he had eaten the fish and found it delicious. Inquiries as to price showed that Oregon salmon could be bought for 1.4 marks (25 cents), while German salmon costs at the present time 5 marks (about \$1.25) per pound. He also stated that the fish were frozen in Oregon and shipped in this frozen state to Europe. It is claimed that if thawed in cold water and then cooked the fish retains its flavor.

If the above is correct, there can be no doubt that this empire would make a very good market, as there is hardly any fish worth eating that can be had here for less than 40 cents per pound. The packers of Oregon salmon should look into the matter. A distributing house could be established in Hamburg or Bremen, which would attend to the shipping of the fish to the inland German cities and towns.

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 cure 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 the Bitters.

A PACKED HOUSE.

Low's Madison Square Company played to "standing room only" last night, and gave a fine performance of the Southern comedy drama "A Southern Rose." A special feature of the performance was a horse upon the stage. Tonight they close their engagements with an original version of that well-known temperance drama, "Ten Nights in a Bar-room."

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Advertisement for D. Shanahan, featuring a quote about a bride and an annual clearance sale of white goods. Includes contact information for Shanahan Building, Commercial Street.

Advertisement for Foard & Stokes Co., strictly for the home, featuring Indian baskets and fine fancy crockery. Includes contact information for Foard & Stokes Co.

Advertisement for H. H. Zapf, The House Furnisher, announcing a re-opening of a new style chop house. Includes contact information for H. H. Zapf.

Advertisement for H. H. Zapf, The House Furnisher, featuring a special drive on rugs. Includes contact information for H. H. Zapf.

Advertisement for Trullinger, Eastabrook & Co., successors to Theo. Bracker, featuring cigars, tobacco, and stationery. Includes contact information for Trullinger, Eastabrook & Co.

Advertisement for The Palace, the finest restaurant in the city, featuring regular meals and Sunday dinners. Includes contact information for The Palace.

Advertisement for W. W. Whipple, featuring castings in iron, steel, and bronze. Includes contact information for W. W. Whipple.