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The Morning Astorian

TELEPHONE 441.

TODAY'S WEATHER.

PORTLAND, June 17.—Oregon and Washington—fair and warmer.

Our Special Sale

FOR THIS WEEK

- PEARS SOAP for15c
- 11.49 FOUILLARD SILKS68c
- 11.25 FOUILLARD SILKS79c
- CHILDREN AND MISSES FAST
- BLACK HOSE, ALL SIZES10c



Gaston sells feed, grain and hay.

Try our J. W. creamery butter. It is guaranteed to please you.—JOHNSON BROS.

Wanted.—Man to take charge of yard and also one rip saw man.—Universal Sash & Door Co.

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.

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

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

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

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Best, cheapest and latest fireworks to be found in the city, at Jesse Fong & Co. 428 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 skillfully and at very moderate prices.

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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.

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YOUR CREDIT IS GOOD

The steamer Sue H. Elmore leaves Astoria (O. R. & N. dock) for Tillamook Bay points Friday, June 20, at 4 a. m.

The steamer Sue H. Elmore arrived last evening from Tillamook with a large load of dair produce and a full list of passengers.

A fine line of French plate mirrors, in Rosewood, Walnut, Olive-wood and Oak, at very low prices. Call and see them. Chas. Rogers, Druggist.

Dr. Matthew Falton returned yesterday from Portland, having nearly recovered from his late illness, and is again taking up his professional duties in Astoria.

A carload of cheap and medium priced bedroom suites just received. We offer them at reduced prices for this week only. Call and examine.—CHAS. HEILBORN & SON.

Ice cream, guaranteed pure, delivered to any part of the city, 15 cents a pint. Ice cream soda. Best fresh candies. Private rooms. Parlor Candy Store, 482 Commercial street.

Captain Pickernell, of the Mayflower, reports that there is a case of smallpox at Frankfort, on the North Shore. Whether the patient is dangerously ill was not ascertained.

Couches—we carry the largest and best selected stock in the city. The line includes both smooth and tufted couches, which we are offering at lower prices than other dealers. Charles Heilborn & Son.

The schooners Alcalde and Fred J. Wood were taken up the river yesterday for lumber cargoes. Both vessels were towed up by the Harvest Queen which went by the docks at more than average speed, a favorable tide helping her along.

The proper time to can strawberries is near at hand. We are now receiving large shipments daily direct from the growers. Leave us your order for as many crates as you wish to can, and it will receive careful attention.—JOHNSON BROS.

Charles Winters, an escapee from the insane asylum, was taken into custody last night by Deputy Sheriff Young. Winters was found in a West End lodging house. He did not give any trouble, but quietly followed the officer to jail.

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.

The British steamship Indravelli arrived down the river yesterday and departed for the Orient. On this trip the big liner took but a small cargo, at least so far as value was concerned, the total worth of her freight being \$87,128.44. The principal item on her manifest was 11,172 barrels of flour, worth \$32,517, the remainder being made up of cotton, beer, dairy produce and lumber, to the value of \$53,611.

Mayor Suprenant will leave tomorrow for Vancouver and Spokane, Wn., to be gone about a week. Business matters necessitate the trip. Police Judge Nelson, when told by the mayor that he would visit Vancouver, requested Mr. Suprenant to give his regards to Tracy and Merrill if the chief executive of the City by the Sea happened to encounter the convicts. Mayor Suprenant promised to do as requested.

On next Tuesday evening the visiting members of the Masonic fraternity will give an elaborate banquet to the members of Temple lodge in the banquet hall of the latter, the occasion being the regular annual return of compliments by the out of town members for courtesies received.

A movement is now on foot to perfect the organization of the Astoria baseball team. There is plenty of material this year and a very strong aggregation can be gotten together. Several challenges have been received from Portland and other outside towns for games here, and arrangements will be made for the contests.

The statement made in yesterday's Astorian that F. I. Dunbar had never been defeated for office was erroneous. When Mr. Dunbar first ran for county clerk he was defeated by C. J. Trenchard, by the narrow margin of 17 votes. This correction, it is needless to add, is most cheerfully made.

At last night's annual meeting of the local branch of the Retail Clerk's Protective Association all the old officers were re-elected with the exception of Secretary George W. Ralston, who declined to accept the place a second time. Ludwig Carlson was elected to his place. A committee was named to interview the merchants and ask them to close their places of business at noon on the Fourth.

"By taking a globe, and stretching a thread from the mouth of the Columbia River to the port of Manila, in the Philippines, it will be seen," says the Engineering Magazine, "that the shortest or great-circle route passes through the Aleutian Islands, and close to the Japanese coast, leaving the Hawaiian Islands far to the south. The importance of Dutch Harbor, as compared with Honolulu, is thus clearly seen, and the advantages of the northern route, with its short stretches and important commercial connections for a Pacific cable, are apparent. An examination of a globe will make the importance of the Alaskan coal deposits much more readily realized."

Deputy Sheriff Will Young will leave today for Long Beach, Wash., there to take into custody James Morrison, who was committed to the insane asylum some time ago from Clatsop County. Morrison managed to make his escape from the state hospital and went to Long Beach. Dr. Calverth learned of his whereabouts and notified the local authorities, who, after capturing the man, will hold him until a state officer arrives from Salem. Morrison imagines that he is immensely wealthy, and claims heavy interests in South African diamond mines. He estimates his fortune at billions, and insists that Rockefeller, Morgan and others of their ilk couldn't get a look-in compared with him.

Among the cases settled in the circuit court yesterday were two brought by the state against County Clerk Wherry to compel him to turn over to Treasurer Moore the money in the estates of Fred Beerman and James Davis, deceased. Both men died without heirs and under the law their possessions go to the state. For his own protection Mr. Wherry forced District Attorney Allen to bring suit against him to compel him to turn over the money, so that, should heirs of either or both of the dead men turn up some day and demand the money, he could not be held responsible by them. Yesterday's order settles the cases. The amount of money involved in the Beerman estate was \$109 and in the Davis estate \$110.

A dispatch from St. Louis, received yesterday, contained a harrowing story of the ill-fortune of a Mrs. Mary Sol-ski, who, with two infant children, was on her way from New York to Astoria, here to join relatives. According to the dispatch the woman was waiting for her train when two men approached her and induced her to leave the depot. The kidnap theory was advanced and search begun. Mrs. Sol-ski was found three miles from the station, her clothing torn, her hair disheveled and her face bruised. She talked incoherently and it was evident that she had lost her reason. She was said to have had \$150 in currency, but the police found only \$50 in her purse. Mother and children were sent to the hospital. Inquiry failed to gain any satisfactory information and it was impossible to locate her relatives.

In the circuit court yesterday the case of Laura Yd vs. August Yd, a suit for divorce, was dismissed by Judge McBride because of the failure of the plaintiff to prosecute. Default was entered in the case of Mary Ann Davidson vs. Alex H. Davidson, another divorce suit based on the grounds of desertion. The case of John Reid vs. J. J. Kenney and P. Lynch was dismissed at the instance of the plaintiff. The action was brought to recover damages in the sum of \$5000 for injuries sustained by plaintiff in a flat car accident with the defendants. The settlement was effected without any consideration financially. Louis Kiss, who is in jail on a charge of larceny, was arraigned and given until June 19 to plead. A decree of foreclosure was handed down in the case of John McGuire vs. Alex McDonald. In the case against Herman Wennerston, charged with larceny, the defendant entered a plea of not guilty, and his case was set for June 23. A number of minor orders were handed down in civil suits.

The official canvass of the state shows that George E. Chamberlain was elected governor by a plurality of 256. Chamberlain received 59,662 votes. Furnish, 39,596. The Democratic candidate carried 12 counties—Baker, Douglas, Jackson, Linn, Malheur, Marion, Morrow, Multnomah, Polk, Umatilla, Union and Wallawa. Furnish's home county gave Chamberlain 266 plurality, or 10 more than his plurality in the state. The 12 counties carried by Furnish gave him 3435 plurality, while the 12 carried by Chamberlain gave him 3691. Clackamas gave Furnish the greatest plurality—392, and Grant the smallest—5. The banner Democratic county was Multnomah, which gave Chamberlain 741. Malheur, with its 1190 votes, gave Chamberlain the least plurality—4. Chamberlain gained 99 votes by the official count in Gilliam and Sherman counties.

Weather Observer Johnson states that the new stormwarning station at North Head will be completed and ready for use by July 1. This station will be equal to any other on the Coast and the agricultural department has provided it with all the latest instruments. It was the original intention of the government officials to employ wireless telegraph in the transmission of messages to this city, but the plan has finally been abandoned and the telephone will be used, for a time at least. The use of the telephone, however, will probably prove more or less unsatisfactory, and the opinion prevails that the government will be compelled to install its own wire. Work on the stormwarning tower at the foot of Tenth street has been suspended for a time. The contractors, Ferguson & Houston, have ample time in which to erect the tower, which will be ready for use before the wintry blasts set in.

The petition of some of the cigar dealers to the city council, asking that the license on slot machines be reduced from \$750 to \$250 quarterly was the principal topic of conversation in cigar stores yesterday. The question as to whether or not cigar machines are paying investments was argued loudly and long. The dealers stoutly maintain that the machines are merely salesmen, while almost every man who has ever "bucked" the little device is ready to swear that it is a mammoth graft, so constructed that it cannot be beaten. One cigar store clerk said yesterday that he had kept tab on two machines for three years, and that his experience taught him that the machines resulted in no other profit to the house than that legitimately due on the cigars sold. The dealers are unable, however, to convince players of the truth of this assertion. It is interesting to note that most of the signers to the petition for a reduced license fee are dealers at whose houses there is but little play. The impression seems to prevail that the petition of the cigar men will not be granted by the council.

Mayor Suprenant yesterday returned to Auditor Nelson, without his approval, the ordinance passed at Monday night's meeting of the council, regulating the speed of trains within the city limits. In his veto the mayor says: "No ordinance should be passed unless it is reasonable and just in its terms, and intended to be properly enforced. The new ordinance limits all locomotives within the city, covering a district of practically four miles, to a speed of not to exceed four miles per hour, requiring about one and one-half hours for a passenger train to pass through the city—there being but one line of railroad through the city—and that would be about the time necessary consumed by this road if limited to that speed. In my judgment, this is unreasonable and an unnecessary hindrance to the traveling public, without corresponding benefit to anyone. In fact, a speed of four miles would enhance the danger attempted to prevent, for it would be but an invitation to the traveling public to attempt alighting from and boarding trains while in motion. This, taken into consideration with the fact that the present line of railroad does not run through any city street, makes the ordinance still more objectionable. I am therefore compelled to return it not approved." Mayor Suprenant stated yesterday that he would favor an ordinance more reasonable in its terms. He said also that he would sign all other ordinances passed at the council meeting on Monday night. These include measures providing for several important street improvements.

Indications Are That the Contest Will Be a Spirited One—Eight Candidates.

The first count in the contest for Goddess of Liberty was made yesterday by the clerks' committee. The canvass showed that more than 400 votes had been cast, and it is quite evident from the first day's balloting that the contest will be spirited.

Eight candidates were voted for yesterday—Miss Amy G. Lemon, Miss Ethel Palmer, Miss Birdie Gundersen, Miss Lita Drain, Miss Maude Stone, Miss Mollie Satter, Miss Anita Trenchard and Miss Gertrude Stockton. Any one of those young ladies would make a charming Goddess of Liberty, and, as all are quite popular, there promises to be much interest in the voting. Ballots cost 5 cents each and boxes are to be found at all the principal business houses. The result of the contest thus far is as follows:

Miss Birdie Gundersen103
Miss Gertrude Stockton 99
Miss Maude Stone 64
Miss Ethel Palmer 50
Miss Mollie Satter 46
Miss Anita Trenchard 21
Miss Amy Lemon 18
Miss Lita Drain 12

Today at 10 o'clock another count will be made and it is expected that several new names will be added to the list. Only a week's balloting has been provided for, and the friends of the different candidates must hustle up to Saturday night, at 8 o'clock, when the final count will be made.

Today the finance committee will commence the work of collecting subscriptions. Subscribers to the fund are requested to be prompt in paying as the committee has much other work to attend to.

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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.

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