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TODAY'S WEATHER.

PORTLAND, July 23.—Oregon—fair, slightly warmer except near the coast.

SALE OF LADIES' SUITS THIS WEEK

\$7.50 SUIT FOR	4.50
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Five barbers at the Palace Baths.
Jelly glasses, fruit jars, jar caps, and rubbers for sale by Johnson Bros.
Young Japanese boy wants situation in family. Inquire at 612 Commercial street.
You will find the best 15c meal in the city at the Rising Sun Restaurant, No. 612 Commercial street.
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You can buy Newbro's Herpicide, the great dandruff cure, for 75 cents per bottle at the Occident Barber Shop.
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Toke Points, which are Eastern oysters developed in Shoalwater bay, are unlike all others—good at any season of the year. They are fat and delicious. Craw-fish are now just in season and are excellent eating, as are crabs and all the other numerous delicacies served so skillfully at the Toke Point oyster house on Eleventh street.

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On next Saturday the famous Hoodlum, or Black Cat, will get together at Long Beach for the commencement of their annual season. Four new members will be initiated from this city—W. W. Whipple, R. D. Campbell, R. P. Dyer and Architect Winters. Astoria is the mobilization point of this aggregation of sawmill men and the entertainment promises to be one especial interesting.

At the meeting of the great council of Redmen, in Portland, Astoria captured two of the six state offices. The following great council officers have been elected: Great sachem, L. B. Heeder, of Pendleton; great senior sagamore, G. M. Orion, of Portland; great junior sagamore, H. L. Henderson, of Astoria; great prophet, Dr. S. Lewis King, of Portland; great chief of records, William C. A. Pohl, of Astoria; great keeper of wampum, J. H. Herbel, of Portland.

The work of repairing the extension to Taylor avenue is going forward rapidly, and the thoroughfare will soon be thrown open to travel. New plank-ing is being laid and the underpinning will be replaced where it is necessary. Judge Taylor's objection to anything in the line of a permanent improvement is due to his opposition to the building of a street on treble work. He feels that a street should be built around the Point, but that it should be built on solid ground. Perhaps by next summer it will be possible to put through such a street, and in the meantime the old street can be made to answer the purpose.

For some time past the Push Club has been making an effort to induce the lighthouse department of the government to build a boulevard to Tongue Point, where the buoy spot is located. Captain Langfitt writes that it will be necessary for the club to secure permission from the department to cross the reservation at the Tongue, and he offers his assistance. It seems Captain Langfitt understands that the club desires to build the road, whereas the club wants the department to build it. A boulevard would be a great convenience, but if it is built the department must do the work.

The funeral of Charles Stahl, who was drowned Sunday at Seaside, will be held today from 429 East Eugene street, Portland, under the auspices of Multnomah Camp, No. 77, Woodmen of the World. The young man had many friends in Portland, who pay a high tribute to his character. He served two years as a hospital nurse in the Philippines, and in his travels had accumulated a fund of information that made him an interesting and entertaining companion. He was born in California, and his parents reside in Oakland. His father, B. F. Stahl, who was in Southern Oregon on a business trip, was notified, and is now in Portland. His mother has also arrived.

At last night's meeting of the Push Club the park committee reported that it had framed a letter to C. W. Shively, requesting that he execute to the trustees of the club a deed for the north half of the 13-acre tract purchased by the Push Club for park purposes. The club was to pay \$2500 for the land, but the park commission has not manifested a disposition to take the property off the hands of the Push Club, and the committee is trying to so arrange matters that the \$2500 already paid to Mr. Shively will not be lost. Harrison L. Hamblet, who will return to Portland in a few days, will take up the necessary documents and interview Mr. Shively relative to the matter.

A few days ago Chief of Police Hallock received a wire from Sheriff Storey, of Multnomah county, asking him to hold a young woman who had run away from her home in Portland. The police took into custody a Miss Hatfield Smith, who answered the description perfectly. Miss Smith protested that she had not run away from home, but she was held, and remained in jail last Saturday night. The following night she was taken to Portland on the Potter. Miss Smith bore her incarceration with rare fortitude and did not go through the weeping performance that would follow the arrest of almost any girl of 16. When she reached Portland she was taken to the woman whose girl had flown, but, while she was almost the image of the missing one, the mother readily saw that she was not her daughter. Miss Smith had come to Astoria with her sister, who went out to the Lewis and Clark, and yesterday she returned from Portland to join her sister.

A ludicrous error crept into the announcement of the Eiler Piano House published in yesterday's Astorian, which that popular firm will hardly stand for. The paragraph referred to reads as follows: "You will be surprised when you know that you can get one of these fine pianos for as little as \$188. Think of it! It means a saving of at least \$100. No other dealer on the coast could sell an instrument like one of these for less than \$300 and they would represent, too, that you were one in Sacramento." Instead of making the ridiculous assertion that the fortunate purchaser who is not able to get enough to have \$100 on the purchase of a piano is "one in Sacramento" it was the intention to make the innocent assertion "you were getting a bargain at that figure." While it is a fact that a large number of these instruments have been sold to Sacramento people, the correct reading is more harmonious.

The annual report of Captain W. C. Langfitt, United States engineers, has been made public. The report reviews all the work that has been done on the Columbia river and is an interesting story of the progress of that undertaking. According to the report the amount expended on the project of 1884 and 1891 was \$1,985,752.14, while the amount expended on the present project was \$23,474.47, making a total \$2,009,226.61 expended to June 30, 1902. There is available for the improvement of the mouth of the river the sum of \$529,309.39. The estimated amount required for the completion of the present project is \$1,776,181.46. The report adds that the amount that can be expended probably in the fiscal year ending June 30, 1904, in addition to the balance unexpended July 1, 1902, is \$609,000. The amount appropriated for the improvement of the river along the Astoria waterfront was \$121,550, and the amount expended up to the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1902, was \$71,105.55 leaving an available balance of \$49,755.09.

A meeting of the regatta committee will probably be held tonight at the Commercial Club, and it is extremely probable the regatta will be called off for this year. The finance committee has become thoroughly disgusted with the attitude assumed by some of the business men, those who reap the greatest benefit being the least anxious to assist the carnival. No beggery was done and the "hardest" men were seen first. The result of the canvass was not at all satisfactory to members of the committee, and while the general committee has not yet authorized any announcement to that effect, the chances are the regatta will be called off. A member of the committee said yesterday about the matter: "To begin with, we have not the time to pull off a regatta that would be satisfactory, and we do not intend to make a front of it. In the second place, those who should gladly subscribe want the committee to call several times for an answer, and this we absolutely decline to do. Failure to hold a regatta this year ought to teach Astoria a valuable lesson, and to demonstrate that work on the carnival should be begun in April." This view is generally shared by members of the committee.

On Sunday, August 3, the joint manufacturers committee of the Chamber of Commerce and Push Club will give a big excursion to Seaside and all loyal Astorians will attend it. When the committee undertook to establish new enterprises at Smith Point it became necessary to guarantee payment of the railroad spur built there and the available fund was found to be \$1000 short. Now the committee-men will be required to pay this sum out of their own pockets unless it can be raised in some manner and the excursion has been planned. A round-trip fare of 75 cents for adults and 50 cents for children has been made and the work of selling tickets will be commenced today. The Push Club last night named Messrs. Whipple, Gaston and Morse as the committee to take charge of the ticket-selling, but all Astorians called on are expected to help. The object is a most worthy one, and there is no valid reason why the entire amount of the deficiency should not be made up. The members of the committee have held daily sessions for months, have neglected their business affairs, and in other ways have made sacrifices for Astoria. Now the people of the city are afforded an opportunity of assisting the committee financially, and everyone should buy a ticket. It is the purpose to make the excursion one worth attending, and an interesting program will be arranged for the day. Those attending will not only assist the committee, but will as well get a run for their money.

THE POST CHECK.
A bill has been before congress to retire the present five, two and one dollar bills and substitute notes, payable at any postoffice, which shall pass as currency. If it becomes a law it will prove as invaluable to many forms of business as Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is to those who are weak and sickly. To such persons this medicine will prove a blessing. These who are weak and sickly, to such persons it contains only such ingredients as will build up and strengthen the entire system. It will tone up the stomach, restore the appetite and cure heartburn, belching, flatulence, indigestion, constipation, nervousness and insomnia. Don't fail to try it, but do not accept a substitute if you value your health. There is no medicine so good as the Bitters. For sale by druggists.

REDUCED RATES TO NORTH BEACH.
The O. R. & N. Co. will sell excursion tickets to all North Beach points Ilwaco to Nahcotta inclusive, every Sunday during the season at the very low rate of \$1 for the round trip. Tickets will be good returning either by steamer Nahcotta or T. J. Potter, but only on date of sale.

CHILDREN FOR ADOPTION.
The Oregon Home Society desires to find homes for three boys babes, very desirable ones, and one girl babe; also a girl of 15 years and boy of 10 years. Mr. I. F. Tobey, superintendent of the home, is now in Astoria and any communication for him may be left at this office. The children may be taken on a three months' trial.

BIG DAY AT CANNERIES.

How Salmon Record Was Broken at Elmore's Plant.
The latest novelty in salmon packing is not a race between individual members of a cannery crew, but between different cannery forces collectively. Each is now vying with the other for a record day's pack, and thus far there has been some fine work. The record has been smashed, and if there is any occasion to do so it will again be broken.

The hostilities commenced when the contracting China employers of the Elmore and Kinney canneries, belonging to the Packers, became involved in a dispute as to the working ability of their respective crews. Wong Lem presides over the men employed at the Kinney cannery, while Ah Book officiates in like capacity at the Elmore cannery. The two canneries had been joggling along about evenly for several days, but Book "skinned" Lem one day this week when he managed to pack 1522 cases. When Lem learned of this he was pretty much riled, and determined to get a new mark for his friend Book. Accordingly, he got together a good crew and went at it. The result of the day's work was 1669 cases.

Then came Book's record-breaking pack. On Tuesday morning his men started at 5 o'clock, and when they quit at 3:30 that night they had packed 2012 cases and 26 cans. This was by far the greatest day's work ever done in a Columbia river cannery, and if anyone breaks the record Book declares he will pack 2500 cases. There was an effort on the part of an afternoon paper to "josh" the statement regarding the record pack at the Elmore cannery, but the figures given are absolutely correct, having been taken from the tally sheets there. Apart from the Co-ops, the Elmore and Kinney canneries are the only plants on the river which can put up more than 1000 cases in a 12-hour day, notwithstanding contrary statements. The Co-ops last year, during the great run, had at work as many people as could possibly assist, and on that day the pack was 1400 cases. The other canneries cannot possibly pack more than 1000 cases, and at the present time they have not the help to pack more than 800 cases in 12 hours.

PERSONAL MENTION.

T. D. Woolley, of Portland, is in the city.
C. W. Hodson was down from Portland yesterday.
Miss Goss, of Portland, is visiting Miss Lila Sutherland.
King H. Lee, of Broderick, Cal., was in the city yesterday.
Mrs. K. H. Lee, of California, is visiting relatives at Warrenton.
D. C. Bogart, a Portland traveling man, was in the city yesterday.
Mrs. Harmon, of Warrenton, was visiting friends in Astoria yesterday.
Miss Maud Bayles left last night to enjoy a six weeks visit in California.
Miss Georgia King, of Portland, is visiting Warrenton friends and relatives.
Walter C. Barnhart, of Tacoma, was among the arrivals at the Occident yesterday.
Miss May Norton leaves today for Portland, where she will accept a position with Day Brothers.
County Assessor Carnahan will make an official trip to the rural districts today. He will be gone until Sunday.
Mrs. H. L. Helich and family leave today for Eugene, there to reside. Mr. Helich is in business in the Valley town.
S. E. Harris is rapidly recovering from his recent illness, and yesterday left the hospital and returned to his home.
H. J. Sirard, of Portland, is in the city representing the Eiler's Piano House. Mr. Sirard will be here during the present week.
Harrison L. Hamblet came down from Portland yesterday and went over to Toke Point to look after his oyster interests there.
The Misses Chamberlain, daughters of the governor-elect, and Miss Van Waters, of Portland, arrived in the city yesterday and leave today for Nehalem, where they will visit with Mrs. C. H. Wheeler.

PROPOSALS WANTED.

Proposals will be received by the undersigned for driving and capping one thousand (more or less) piles. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
All bids must be in at the Occident Hotel at noon of July 28th, 1902. G. W. HUME.

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