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We have the best in Astoria our receipts largest. Ashland Peaches are now plentiful and CHEAP. Fresh Fruits on California steamer yesterday. See us.

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The Daily Astorian. TELEPHONE 61.

TODAY'S WEATHER.

PORTLAND, Aug. 28.—Oregon, Idaho, and Washington, fair.

One Thousand Pillow Cases

(Well Made) for . . . 12 1/2

They are 15c kind.



Our store closes at 6 p. m. every day except Saturday.

Gaston sells feed, grain and hay.

Five barbers at the Palace Baths.

Nice, ripe Bartlett pears, 15c per dozen at Johnson Bros.

First-class California grapes, 20 cents per basket today at Johnson Bros.

The latest blocks in the new fall styles, Knox hats, just in at C. H. Cooper's.

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

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

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

We guarantee our headache tablets to cure any case of headache in ten minutes or refund your money. Chas. Hoegs, druggist.

A stereopticon lecture entitled "Ten nights in a barroom" at the Salvation Army hall on Saturday evening, Aug. 30. Admission, 10 cents.

Johnson Bros. have neatly displayed at their store a very fine line of lunch goods cooked ready for immediate use. For lunches or picnics these goods are just what one wants.

Iron beds are fast superseding the cumbersome wooden article because they are neater, more durable, sanitary and vermin proof. The latest productions have just been received by Chas. Heilborn & Son.

WE SELL CARPETS

Today we open our new fall carpets in the new patterns and new colorings. New pro Brussels Rugs in extra large sizes.

RUGS

See the new Indian Rugs, all the rage, in the highest art of coloring. New Egyptian rugs in pyramid patterns. Buy the latest. Our prices are right.

We Sell Furniture, Bedding, Couches, and everything for the house at lowest prices.

Great Eastern Furniture Co., 576 Commercial St. Shanahan Building

There is a political rumor to the effect that Senator J. G. Mogler, from Pacific County, Wash., will run for representative from his county, and in case of his election will work for the speakership of the house.

Those merry parties still continue to regale at the Eleventh street resort because the luscious delicacies served at the Tote Point Oyster house make it the most popular place in the town. Fresh Tote Point oysters and other shell fish always on hand.

C. H. Cooper, the veteran bowler, clinched his title of "champion" at the Commercial Club alleys yesterday, when he averaged 55 for a dozen games. A 62 game was followed by 65 and half a dozen games were over 50. Even Foxy Grandpa was compelled to seek cover.

The Troy Laundry Company has purchased from ex-Mayor Bergman the property at Tenth and Exchange streets, where a new laundry building is to be erected. The purchase price was \$1000. The company will expend \$15,000 on the new plant, which will be first-class in every respect.

Charles A. Payne, one of the Washington pilot commissioners, while in the city Tuesday, stated that the Washington pilot schooner was expected to arrive here shortly to compete with the Oregon schooner. Mr. Payne said he understood there had been some trouble with the owners of the schooner over the lease, but he could not give particulars.

Labor day will be celebrated in Astoria by the labor unions. An excursion will be given to Seaside Sunday, August 31. Fare, 75 cents for round trip; children 40 cents. Train leaves depot at 8 o'clock a. m., returning leaves Seaside at 4:40 p. m. All friends of organized labor are cordially invited to attend. This will be the last excursion of the season.

Rev. F. E. Dell, pastor of the Congregational church, has tendered his resignation. He has been asked to accept the pastorate of the Grass Valley (Cal.) church, but has not yet definitely decided upon his future course. It is possible he will be called to the Cleveland (O.) church. Mr. Dell will make an Eastern trip within a short time.

Game Warden Quimby and his deputies will arrest any person who undertakes to kill ducks before September 1. Sunday is the last day of August but it will be unlawful for anyone to hunt for ducks on that day. The season for upland birds opens October 1, not September 15, as many suppose, and it will be unlawful to hunt plover or Chinese pheasants before that time.

For the Elks' Carnival and Street Fair to be held at Portland from September 1st to 13th, inclusive, the A. & C. R. R. will make a rate of \$2 for the round trip between Astoria and Portland on the following dates: For the evening train of September 2d, morning train September 4th, evening train September 8th, all trains of September 9th, and morning train of September 10th. These tickets will be good to return until September 14th.

A sad death occurred on the steamer Bailey Gatzert on her down trip Wednesday night. At Puget Island Mr. and Mrs. N. Peterson got aboard, with their 3-year-old son, who had been ill. It was the intention to bring him to Astoria for treatment. Soon after the family boarded, the child was attacked with a vomiting spell, during which he expired. The boy was taken in charge by Coroner Pohl and shipped to Cathlamet yesterday for burial.

The following merchants have agreed to close their places of business on Labor day: C. H. Cooper, S. Daniloff & Co., J. H. Seymour, M. S. Copeland, A. Koyalo, John Hahn, A. Lake, A. Kiljunen, Peterson & Brown, Johnson Bros., D. Shanahan, H. Cronin, V. H. Coffey, Eclipse Hardware Company, Ross, Higgins & Co., Fisher Bros., Astoria Fish Market, Great American Tea Company, P. Lawler & Company, Charles Heilborn & Son, H. H. Zaaf, Theo. Josephsen, Foard & Stokes Company.

Russell Reed, one of the members of the Elizabeth Hale troupe, yesterday received word from San Francisco that his brother, Clarence, had mysteriously disappeared, and that efforts to locate him had thus far proved futile. The missing young man was secretary of the Polytechnical College of San Francisco and was very popular. He left his office two weeks ago, saying he would return that night, but he has not since been seen. He was very energetic and had no bad habits, and his friends and relatives are very much worried over his strange disappearance.

The Puget Sound tug Richard Holyoke is expected to arrive around from the Sound this morning. The Holyoke and Tatoosh are to tow one of the Robertson log rafts to San Francisco and the start will be made in a few days. The raft to be taken south by these two tugs is the smallest one of the two built at Stella. The larger boom is 750 feet long and the steamer Arctic is to take it south. The tug Wanderer, which is to take the place of the Tatoosh, while she is on the San Francisco trip, is expected around tomorrow. The Tatoosh will be out of commission here for about two weeks.

Residents living on what is known as the Hinman tract are greatly put out by the awkward condition of the thoroughfares that are supposed to lead into that section of the city at the corner of Fourth and Exchange streets, the road that leads north from Franklin avenue crosses the corner of Rudolph Basil's lot and at this point the owner of the lot has placed a barricade with the notice of private way written upon it. This effectually blocks the way for teams, and as it is the only means of getting in it is quite natural that the house-holders in the cut-off section are rather non-plussed at the condition of things. It is a state of affairs that certainly requires looking into by the proper authorities, and their early attention to the matter is earnestly solicited by the affected parties.

The ocean steamers Columbia and Elder will burn oil for fuel as soon as the tanks and burners can be installed. In the case of ocean steamers, the saving is even greater proportionately than it is with river boats, as when they are away on long voyages much of their valuable freight space must be used for fuel. One of the Australian liners running out of San Francisco carries oil enough to steam 10,000 miles in the same space that would be required for three times the quantity of coal. Not only is there an immense saving through having this extra space for freight, but the fuel is very much cheaper than coal, and when she was changed from a coal-burner to an oil-burner the crew of 26 firemen was reduced to six men. Many of the Columbia River steamers will also burn oil instead of wood.

The W. C. T. U. held a meeting yesterday afternoon and elected delegates and alternates for the state convention to be held in Ashland in a few weeks. Mrs. Gearhart and Mrs. Gus Kinney are the delegates and Mrs. Gerding and Mrs. Pastabend the alternates. Mrs. Rockster, a social purity representative of the Portland branch of the work, was present at the meeting and gave a good, clear understanding of the work being done in her city. It will be necessary, she explained, that another room be added to the social purity department, and she called upon the local corps to assist financially in the expense of the movement. The ladies responded feelingly to the appeal. It was announced during the meeting that John Sobieski, the eminent orator, would be in the city next week and deliver four lectures—three temperance and one popular. Sobieski is a direct descendant of John Sobieski, the old king of Poland, so there is a touch of romance that attaches to the present Sobieski, an heir to a throne, aside from his brilliant personality and exceptional fine oratory. The speaker is world-renowned and will doubtless draw large audiences to hear his lectures.

The Elizabeth Hale Company played to a crowded house last night and gave an excellent rendition of "Wicked London." The play is quite new to the Coast. It contains a great variety of characters and varied scenes. The change from high to low life give an insight to all varieties of London society, and the escape scene from Portland Jail was very well carried out. As the daughter of a rich Liverpool merchant, who gives up wealth in order to marry the man she loves, Miss Hale looked and played in her usual charming manner. This lady has made many friends in Astoria by her really artistic performances. The comedy part of Betsy Darrell was excellently played by Miss Francis, and the part of Madam Katzenhammer was brought prominently forward by a realistic performance on the part of Miss Francis. Mr. Russell Reed worked hard and well as Richard Carlton, and Mr. Armour, as Hiram O. Walker, was good, "and that's a fact." Tonight the Hale Company will produce "Hazel Kirk," the prettiest play ever written, and judging from the performances they have given it will receive an excellent interpretation in the hands of this really clever company.

Coast Manager F. P. Kendall, of the American Can Company, said yesterday that removal of the local can factory to Portland had been definitely decided upon, and that the building of the new plant would be undertaken as soon as possible. It is expected the Portland factory will be in operation by February 1. Mr. Kendall said a site had been purchased at Portland and that the plans for the new buildings were now being prepared. As soon as the plans are approved, work on the buildings will be begun. The new factory will be about twice the size of the local plant and will give employment to 200 persons. Mr. Kendall said that the determination to remove the factory was due to the decrease in the local demand for cans and the fact that the freight rates out of Astoria made shipment elsewhere very expensive. The company will be able to handle its fruit can business at much less cost from Portland. The local factory will be divested of its gearing and offered for sale. It is said that the falling off in the company's local business was largely due to the business methods of the concern which required cash payment before any part of its product was taken away from the factory. The Astoria plant employed from 75 to 125 persons, had an annual payroll of \$40,000 and turned out from \$450,000 to \$500,000 worth of cans yearly.

A sad drowning accident occurred in Alderbrook early last evening, in which Harry Welch, the little 6-year-old son of J. F. Welch, was the unfortunate victim. The little fellow was last seen at about 5:15. Later, when his mother missed seeing him about she immediately began a search but no trace could be found of him. As soon as Mr. Welch arrived from down town the parents walked together down to Uppertown, inquiring of the neighbors if they had seen their little son. Not receiving any information they returned to Alderbrook, and at about 7 o'clock were horrified to discover the lifeless body of little Harry but a short distance from their home, lying on the beach. Dr. Cordiner was at once summoned to the scene but nothing could be done, life apparently having been extinct for an hour and thirty minutes before the arrival of the physician. As the body was bruised on the left shoulder and under the left eye, it is presumed that the child had been playing about on some logs and had been stunned by sustaining an injury, and then drifted by the tide to where the body was found.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Evelyn O'Hara was a visitor from Warrenton yesterday.

Sheriff Linville was a passenger on the 10:30 train last night.

Mrs. Geo. Shield, formerly of this city, is visiting friends here.

R. M. Gaston returned last night from a business trip to Portland.

Miss Susie Cauker of Warrenton, visited the city yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Hawthorn, who has been confined to her home for some time from illness, is able to be out.

Mr. S. C. Turner and wife returned from Portland last night, where they had been on a brief visit.

Miss Margaret Higgins will leave on the next outward bound steamer for California, to resume her studies at Stanford.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Dempsie, of Spokane, who are located at Seaside for the season, were in Astoria yesterday, visiting relatives.

F. A. Hazelton, editor of the South Bend Journal, and chairman of the Republican central committee of Pacific county, passed through the city last night.

J. W. Belcher, formerly of this city, but now a resident of Portland, is in town for a few days. Mr. Belcher has been spending a few weeks vacation at the different resorts on the coast.

To the Alaska Fishermen

Gentlemen: I hereby invite you to call at my store and get a free ticket to the dance I give to my customers on this coming Saturday evening, August 30. Respectfully,

HERMAN WISE, The Reliable Clothier & Hatter.

NOTICE.

We, the undersigned milkmen of Astoria, do hereby notify all consumers of milk that beginning September 1, prices of milk at retail will be advanced to the former rates of:

- \$1.25 per pint per month. \$2 per quart per month. \$3.75 per half-gallon per month. \$6.75 per gallon per month. Also by wholesale to be advanced from 50c per can to 60c per can.

Signed, SLOOP, JEFFERS & CO., K. F. JOHNSON & CO., NURUNBERG & BARTOLDUS, ABRIM JUKNA.

REDUCTION SALE.

Mrs. R. Ingleton is having a big reduction sale on shirt-waists, skirts, children's clothes, infants' clothes, and all kind of ladies' and children's furnishings goods, including hair switches and pompadours. A chance for the \$500 pound with each 50-cent purchase. Commercial street, opposite Budget office.

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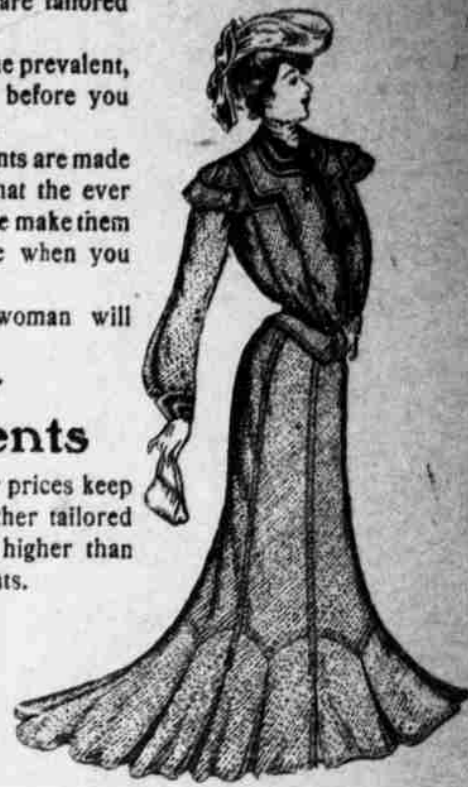
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