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MONTHLY TIDE TABLES.

| FEBRUARY, 1903. | | | | FEBRUARY, 1903. | | | |
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| High Water. | A. M. | P. M. | | Low Water. | A. M. | P. M. | |
| Date. | h.m. | ft. | h.m. | Date. | h.m. | ft. | h.m. |
| SUNDAY | 11:30 | 7.9 | 3:58 | SUNDAY | 11:30 | 7.9 | 3:58 |
| Monday | 3:25 | 8.0 | 3:44 | Monday | 3:25 | 8.0 | 3:44 |
| Tuesday | 6:15 | 8.1 | 3:32 | Tuesday | 6:15 | 8.1 | 3:32 |
| Wednesday | 9:05 | 8.2 | 3:22 | Wednesday | 9:05 | 8.2 | 3:22 |
| Thursday | 11:55 | 8.3 | 3:14 | Thursday | 11:55 | 8.3 | 3:14 |
| Friday | 2:45 | 8.4 | 3:08 | Friday | 2:45 | 8.4 | 3:08 |
| Saturday | 5:35 | 8.5 | 3:04 | Saturday | 5:35 | 8.5 | 3:04 |
| SUNDAY | 8:25 | 8.6 | 3:02 | SUNDAY | 8:25 | 8.6 | 3:02 |
| Monday | 11:15 | 8.7 | 3:02 | Monday | 11:15 | 8.7 | 3:02 |
| Tuesday | 2:05 | 8.8 | 3:04 | Tuesday | 2:05 | 8.8 | 3:04 |
| Wednesday | 4:55 | 8.9 | 3:08 | Wednesday | 4:55 | 8.9 | 3:08 |
| Thursday | 7:45 | 9.0 | 3:14 | Thursday | 7:45 | 9.0 | 3:14 |
| Friday | 10:35 | 9.1 | 3:22 | Friday | 10:35 | 9.1 | 3:22 |
| Saturday | 13:25 | 9.2 | 3:32 | Saturday | 13:25 | 9.2 | 3:32 |
| SUNDAY | 16:15 | 9.3 | 3:44 | SUNDAY | 16:15 | 9.3 | 3:44 |
| Monday | 19:05 | 9.4 | 3:58 | Monday | 19:05 | 9.4 | 3:58 |
| Tuesday | 21:55 | 9.5 | 4:14 | Tuesday | 21:55 | 9.5 | 4:14 |
| Wednesday | 24:45 | 9.6 | 4:32 | Wednesday | 24:45 | 9.6 | 4:32 |
| Thursday | 27:35 | 9.7 | 4:52 | Thursday | 27:35 | 9.7 | 4:52 |
| Friday | 30:25 | 9.8 | 5:14 | Friday | 30:25 | 9.8 | 5:14 |
| Saturday | 33:15 | 9.9 | 5:38 | Saturday | 33:15 | 9.9 | 5:38 |
| SUNDAY | 36:05 | 10.0 | 6:04 | SUNDAY | 36:05 | 10.0 | 6:04 |

The steamer Homer attempted to go out yesterday afternoon, but owing to the condition of the bar was obliged to return to port. Weather permitting, she will pass out this morning at 6 o'clock.

Mrs. Lesler, sister of Mrs. C. M. Celler of this city and of Mrs. S. Danziger of San Francisco, died at the bay city early yesterday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Celler left last evening to be present at the funeral which will take place next Monday. The local store of S. Danziger & Co., will be closed until after that day.

Norwegian-Danish Methodist Church—Usual services at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Communion service after morning sermon. Subject for morning discourse: "The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper." Evening subject: "Thou Fool." Song service at 7 p. m. Special meetings every night during the week except Saturday.

At a recent meeting of the Astoria Labor Council a resolution was adopted supporting the Pierce bill before the legislature. This bill relates to the Associated Press, making it a common carrier. The bill now before the legislature prohibiting the giving of prizes with the sale of tobacco and cigars received favorable action.

The Bombay Gazette of January 9 contains a long story with reference to the St. Louis exposition. The St. Louis commissioner, Hon. John Barrett, visited Bombay on his return from the festivities at the Delhi Durbar, and the Gazette devotes much space to Mr. Barrett's statement of the scope of the fair. He is doing invaluable work for the exposition, and is regarded as the man to boom Oregon's 1905 exposition in the far east.

The report of the Astoria water commission for the year 1902 shows that the aggregate amount of delinquent charges was only \$6.50. Astoria water consumers are required to call at the water office and settle their accounts, a penalty of 25 cents being charged after the 15th of the month. During the entire year 1902 only 266 delinquents were reported, indicating either that Astorians are prompt in settling their claims or else that they are very much in need of water.

Office Constructing Quartermaster, Astoria, Ore., Feb. 4.—1903.—Sealed proposals in triplicate, will be received at this office until 10 o'clock a. m., March 3, 1903, and then opened, for the construction of a plank road on Port Canby military reservation, Washington. Plans and specifications may be seen and further information obtained here. Right is reserved to accept or reject any or all proposals. Envelopes should be marked "Proposals for Plank Road at Port Canby, Wash." and addressed to Geo. L. Goodale, Capt. and Quartermaster, U. S. Army.

The Astorian is in receipt of a circular issued by Forecast Official Beals showing the weather conditions of the several counties of Oregon during the year 1902. The statement is comprehensive and of much interest. One of the remarkable features of the report is that the coldest and warmest days in all parts of the big state came at about the same time in all the counties. The highest mark reached by the thermometer in Astoria during 1902 was 86—on June 29 and August 6—while the lowest mark was 19—on January 25. The only county in eastern Oregon where the rainfall exceeded 20 inches was Walla-walla. The greatest precipitation recorded at any station for the year was 147.48 inches, at Glenora, Tillamook county. The precipitation here was \$6.46.

G. M. McKinney, emigrant agent of the Harriman lines, has written G. W. Lounsbury asking that an additional 5000 copies of the book of Astoria be sent him for distribution. When the edition first appeared 2000 copies were sent to Major McKinney, who distributed them in those eastern centers from which the greatest number of homeseekers was expected to take passage for the golden west. Now Major McKinney wants more books. The edition is almost exhausted, and there are perhaps not more than 1000 copies remaining. The chamber of commerce has on hand about 300, while the Push club has about 700. Of these 150 will be sent to George H. Himes of Portland, and the remainder will be needed to meet the demands of the two commercial bodies. The original edition consisted of only 5000 copies.

On Tenth street between Commercial and Bond there is an open alleyway that will yet cause the death of someone unless steps are taken at once to force it off. The alley is between the Flavel brick and the tumbled-down shack adjoining on the south end used as a barn. Last evening a man employed at a local bakery walked into this pitfall and fell to the beach below, a distance of eight or 10 feet. He was not badly hurt, but this was due purely to good fortune. The alleyway serves no purpose whatever and it is somewhat surprising that officials of the city have not long since taken steps to have it fenced off. The barn on the south side of the alleyway is almost ready to collapse, and it is perhaps not unreasonable to suppose that it will kill someone when it topples over. Several persons have walked into the alleyway, which is located at a very dark place.

The periodical report of the consolidation of the White Collar Line and Dales, Portland and Astoria Navigation Co., has been officially denied by representatives of both companies. The report originated through the statement of an official of the D. P. & A. that there was not enough business on the upper Columbia route to maintain the double service, and that consolidation would be necessary. However, it is not planned at this time.

February 17 has been fixed as the date for the vaudeville entertainment to be given by the ladies of the Astoria Public Library association. The entertainment will be a most interesting one, and will include minstrelsy, a one-act farce and specialties galore. There will be male and female quartets, and a variety of songs and other attractions which will delight the big audience which is sure to be out. The ladies are determined to make the performance the most attractive ever given by local talent, and Astorians are assured of a rare treat.

The steamer Voeburg arrived in port yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock after about the roughest voyage that boat has ever experienced. An official of the steamer stated last night to an Astorian representative that he had never known the Columbia bar to be so rough as when he crossed in yesterday. "Immediately upon getting out of Tillamook this morning," he said, "we could see that we were in for it, but we had made the start and had to stay with it. Very little steam power was used, the wind, practically being the only propelling force until we reached the mouth of the Columbia. We traveled at a terrific rate the entire distance being made in less than 4 1/2 hours. The seas were so heavy that at times it seemed that a single wave would take us clear up and into Astoria. I stood upon the upper deck and very often was drenched to the skin." Some funny experiences were had by the passengers. One gentleman went out on deck to have a look at the situation but no sooner had he reached the rail than a monster swell loomed up in the immediate rear, looking green and ferocious. Mr. Man did not lose much time in scrambling back in his stateroom, concluding that he could see the sea through his window quite as conveniently if not more so. The Voeburg had to be Yaquina bay before leaving Tillamook. At the latter place she was delayed two days by having her propeller strengthened, having been drawn upon the beach for the purpose. She carried 12 passengers on this trip. The present intention is to leave out next Tuesday.

"It will be observed from careful scrutiny of the report of the board of engineers that their recommendations are even more flattering than one would at first suppose," said a loyal Astorian yesterday in discussing the bar improvement. "The board has had the goodness to point out to the department that Astoria harbor is the only port on a stretch of coast 700 miles in extent, and has urged immediate resumption of operations in order that this harbor of refuge may be available for shipping. The board conveys the idea that the jetty will serve as a breakwater that will make the entrance to the Columbia as smooth as any other harbor entrance in the world, affording vessels an opportunity at any time to seek safety in this harbor from storms. I am satisfied that extension of the south jetty will accomplish what we are so anxious to secure—40 feet depth. If the jetty is run out to the end of the bar, the water will cut through a channel of great depth, and, once this channel is cut, it will become deeper with every year. Indeed, from careful thought given the matter, I am firmly of the belief that the channel will within a short time attain a depth of 60 or 80 feet. I am much pleased to note that the Astorian has given the engineers credit for their reasonable recommendations. This is in marked contrast with the knocking tendencies manifesting themselves in different quarters, where the recommendations are regarded as 'better than nothing.' There is only one feasible scheme for improvement of the Columbia river bar, and the board has recommended that scheme. Mark my words, before the year is out the depth will exceed 80 feet unless something unforeseen occurs to delay work."

PERSONAL MENTION

C. E. Bayles is here from Seattle.
L. H. Sprauer left last evening for Portland.
P. A. Trullinger is at Seaside for a few days.
William Smith and Mrs. Smith are in the city enroute for Seaside.
M. Johnson, a clam man of Chinook, is a guest at the Parker House.
C. J. Curtis arrived from Salem yesterday. He will remain over Sunday.
Miss Amy Rannels is visiting with Miss Mabel Jeffers on the Lewis and Clark.
Guy W. Phillips arrived from Portland last night and registered at the Occident.
Sheriff Gallier is in the city enroute for his home in Coos county. He arrived from Salem.
Erb Leberman leaves for Portland tonight to enter a business college there. He will remain during the winter.
J. Christensen and wife arrived from Portland yesterday. They will leave today on the steamer Homer.
Ed Mann has resigned his position with Herman Wise and left last evening for Portland where he will in the future reside.
Mrs. F. E. Pierce will spend today in the city with her husband who is associated with the Troy steam laundry. Mrs. Pierce resides in Portland.
D. Miller, E. M. Harry, J. Embro, Jas. Hunt and W. S. Randall arrived in on the Voeburg yesterday afternoon and registered at the Parker House. They are enroute for Portland.

MR. FULTON CONFIDENT

ASTORIA MAN IS SURE OF ELECTION TO SENATE.

Says That His Supporters Will Hold Together and That He Will Win Out.

Portland Journal: "The men who are voting for me are unanimous in their determination to stay with me to the end. I shall certainly be elected United States senator," said Charles W. Fulton this morning with an emphasis and an air of confidence that carried conviction of his own faith in his assertions.

"There is absolutely no warring among my friends," he added, "and there is not the slightest danger that they will leave me. Those who are responsible for these rumors of disintegration among my supporters know they are false and the stories are started merely in the hope of exciting uneasiness in the minds of my friends. I shall surely win my fight."

Fulton has certainly succeeded in inspiring his friends with a great degree of his own confidence as to the final outcome of the intricate struggle in progress at the state capital. It can be stated positively that Binger Hermann who arrived Thursday night from Washington, does not propose to enter the senatorial fight so long as Fulton continues so decidedly in the lead, and this assurance has materially strengthened the position of the Clatsop candidate. Hermann's probable admission has been the topic of much anxious speculation for it is well known that he has warm personal friends in each faction in the senatorial fight who would probably rally to his standard if he should enter the lists.

With Hermann out of the running, the danger of defections from Fulton is materially lessened. From the outset his greatest menace has been the possible appearance of some dark horse, strong enough to draw votes from the other candidates. The situation is remarkable in that with the exception of Hermann and Jonathan Bourne there is no prominent republican in the state whose advent in the contest has seemed to be seriously feared by Fulton and his friends. It is extremely doubtful whether Bourne's name will ever be presented to the legislature, for he will not become an avowed candidate unless reasonably sure of success. As for Harvey Scott, he is now decidedly out of it.

The vital question now is whether Fulton will be able to hold his following together up to the last round of the fight. The legislature will adjourn at midnight on Friday, February 20, so that less than two weeks of the session remains. It is the general belief that no senator will be elected until the last day of the session, and if, when that time comes, Fulton should still hold his present strength, he will certainly be a most formidable candidate.

There is a strong sentiment in the legislature that the session must not end without the election of a senator, and this will naturally be a powerful aid to any candidate who is decidedly in the lead when the hour arises for the final struggle. Fulton enjoys one great advantage. Despite the keenness of the struggle, the desperate efforts that have been made to defeat him, and the heated fight over the organization of the legislature, Fulton has so conducted his campaign as to retain the personal friendship of a large number of the members who are voting for other candidates for senator. Some of the staunchest adherents of ex-Governor Geer, and even among the Multnomah members there are several who express the same sentiment. If the issue should finally become "Fulton or no senator," it is safe to say that some at least of these members would cast their ballots for the Clatsop candidate.

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JUR PORTO RICO TRADE GROWING

Trade between the United States and Porto Rico is growing remarkably. We now take over one-half of the exports and supply four-fifths of the imports. This is a remarkable showing in so short a time since that island was under Spanish rule. The record of cures back of Hostetter's Stomach Elixirs is the best evidence of the value and merit it contains. It therefore appeals to you personally, especially if you are a sufferer from loss of appetite, nausea, heartburn, indigestion, dyspepsia, sleeplessness or malaria, fever and ague, and want to be made well again. It will strengthen and tone up the entire system and purify the blood. Don't fail to try a bottle today. It has never been known to fail and can therefore be relied on in your case. For sale by all druggists.

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Nobody ever outlived Rheumatism; the disease never loosens its grip or leaves of its own accord, but must be driven out by intelligent and persistent treatment through the blood, for Rheumatism of every variety and form is caused by an over acid condition of the blood, and the deposit in muscles, joints and nerves of corrosive poisons and gritty particles, and it is these irritating substances that produce the inflammation, swelling and pains, which last as long as the blood remains in this sour and acid state.

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W. J. Scully, the hardware store and tinshop man, has moved from his old location on Bond street to No. 476-477 Commercial street, opposite the Beehive, where he has a well appointed storeroom and shop, a fine stock of stoves, ranges, bath tubs, plumbers' goods, hardware, tinware, etc., and the best of facilities for plumbing and steam fitting.

Some teas are sold, and with them the purchaser gets presents and premiums of various description. When you buy Schillings teas you get money value. These goods are sold on their merits and guaranteed to please, if not your money is refunded. Schillings teas are put up in various flavors. Try a package with a money-back guarantee. For sale by Johnson Bros.

The Chamber of Commerce will meet in regular session on Monday night at 8 o'clock. For several meetings past the attendance at the chamber has not been large members being occupied with other matters. The chamber is at present without a secretary and at tomorrow night's meeting the vacancy caused by the enforced resignation of E. C. Holden will be filled. President Welch is anxious for a full attendance of members. Mr. Holden, the retiring secretary, is still confined to his home, and, while not seriously ill, is unable to be out.

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