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MONTHLY TIDE TABLES

FEBRUARY, 1903.				FEBRUARY, 1903.			
High Water.		Low Water.		High Water.		Low Water.	
Date.	A. M.	P. M.	Date.	A. M.	P. M.	Date.	A. M.
SUNDAY	1 3:09	7 3:04	7 5	SUNDAY	1 9:02	2 9:10	0 9
Monday	2 3:25	8 3:14	7 2	Monday	2 9:46	1 9:45	1 3
Tuesday	4 4:15	8 4:05	6 7	Tuesday	3 10:25	1 7:10	1 8
Wednesday	4 4:57	8 3:58	6 1	Wednesday	4 11:04	1 6:11	2 4
Thursday	5 5:45	8 3:50	5 5	Thursday	5 11:42	1 5:12	1 5
Friday	6 6:45	7 3:22	5 6	Friday	6 12:20	3 0	1 7
Saturday	7 7:54	7 3:47	5 9	Saturday	7 1:08	3 24	0 8
SUNDAY	8 9:08	8 10:40	6 4	SUNDAY	8 2:04	3 4	2 9
Monday	9 10:11	8 2:11	4 1	Monday	9 3:01	3 4	2 9
Tuesday	10 11:12	8 4	5	Tuesday	10 4:00	3 0	2 9
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Friday	13 1:50	8 3	14 2 8 5	Friday	1 7:01	1 6	8 14
Saturday	14 2:28	8 4	2 28 8 1	Saturday	14 8:06	1 4	8 50
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Thursday	19 5:57	7 6	7 16 5 4	Thursday	19 12:50	1 1	12 15
Friday	20 6:58	7 3	8 32 5 5	Friday	20 1:40	3 5	2 12 1 5
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Wednesday	25 11:30	7 6	12 25 7 3	Wednesday	25 6:00	3 6	7 17 3 2
Thursday	26 12:07	7 8	1 00 7 7	Thursday	26 6:50	3 4	8 00 0 7
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THE MORNING ASTORIAN

TO DAY'S WEATHER
Portland, Feb. 10.—Western Oregon and Washington, generally fair.

Wanted to Buy—A house and lot. Address P. O. box 560.

Your up-to-date barbers at the Occident. You don't have to wait.

For Rent—A furnished front room. Outside door. 140 Fourth street.

Headquarters for valentines at Svenson's book store, all kinds and prices.

For good, reliable piano work see your local tuner, Th. Fredericksen, 2971 Bond street. Phone 2074 Red.

You will always find the best 15c meal in the city at the Rising Sun restaurant. No. 61 Commercial street.

Carpet remnants—500 different patterns at less than wholesale prices. Very suitable for rugs. See window display. Chas. Heilborn & Son.

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Special sale of carpet remnants, 500 patterns to select from, including axminsters, velvets, and body Brussels, which we are offering at factory prices. See window display. Chas. Heilborn & Son.

C. H. Abbott, optician, of Portland will be at the Occident hotel, Astoria, from Tuesday, 1 p. m. to Wednesday, 5 p. m., Feb. 17 and 18. Glasses fitted to relieve headaches and weary eyes. Children's eyes a specialty.

What is the trouble? Faulty plumbing and poor fixtures? For the best sanitary plumbing goods and skillful thorough workmanship send your orders to No. 425 Bond street. Tinning, gas-fitting and heating. John A. Montgomery.

W. J. Scully, the hardware store and tinshop man, has moved from his old location on Bond street to No. 470-472 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 Schilling's tea you get money value. These goods are sold on their merits and guaranteed to please, if not your money is refunded. Schilling's teas are put up in various flavors. Try a package with a money-back guarantee. For sale by Johnson Bros.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it to-day. Try

Jell-O,

a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! No baking! Add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers to-day.

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 5, 1903, and then opened, for the construction of a plank road on Fort 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 Fort Canby, Wash." and addressed to Gen. L. Goodale, Capt. and Quartermaster, U. S. Army.

Prof. Kinnestad, the celebrated tenor, who will appear at the First M. E. church, February 13, was for a number of years professor in the Augsburg seminary in Minneapolis. Of late years he has studied with the best teachers in Germany, and is very highly recommended by them, as may be seen on the display cards in different windows. Do not forget the date, but come and enjoy yourself.

The name of the German bark Alsternixe, while one that naturally strikes an American as being peculiar, is not so funny to Germans. The Alster is the river that runs through the city of Hamburg. The expression "nixe" means elf, so that "Alsternixe" implies "elf of the Alster." Thus, to change the name of the vessel to Columbianix would be quite in keeping with the events of the past few days.

At a meeting of the executive board of the Commercial club held last night a committee consisting of Messrs. Tee, Thomson and Wise was appointed to investigate the matter of building a gymnasium annex to the present club building. This action was in accordance with the wish of many of the members as expressed in a communication to the directorate. The initiation fee of the club has been reduced to \$2.50 for a short time.

A dispatch from Washington says the Thirtieth lighthouse district, in which Astoria is located, has been extended to include Alaska. The thought was expressed yesterday that this action on the part of congress might prompt Seattle to petition the department for removal of the headquarters of the lighthouse tenders from Astoria to the sound, but the efforts heretofore made with this end in view met with failure, and probably will not be renewed.

That contagious diseases in this city are becoming a thing of the past is well evidenced by the report made yesterday to the health department by Doctor Estes. According to this report all the cases which had been under Doctor Estes' care have entirely recovered and the quarantine can now be lifted. The contagious diseases under Doctor Estes' care were represented in both ends of the city and the announcement that his patients have recovered is but illustrative of the entire community.

A dispatch from Washington says an application has been received at the interior department from G. B. Hegart, of Port Stevens, Ore., for appointment as surveyor-general of Oregon. He has been advised that no vacancy at this time exists in that office, but when such a vacancy occurs, his name will have consideration along with others that may be presented. Secretary Hitchcock has about made up his case against Meldrum, and it is so strong and unanswerable that there is no doubt as to the fate of the present incumbent. It may be a week or two, however, before a change is made in the office.

There are now only two Astoria homes under quarantine—the Skibbe and Stanovich houses. In the Stanovich residence two boys are down with scarlet fever. Doctor Tuttle, the attending physician, reports that both have been very ill, but that they are now out of danger. Doctor Fulton is attending the Skibbe child and makes an equally favorable report. Within a short time the three sufferers will be well. The closing of the schools has made it possible for the city physician and the doctors of the city to so effectually stamp out what threatened for a time to be a very serious epidemic of disease.

A letter has been received by C. L. Moore of Baker City from F. H. Newell, chief engineer of the United States geological survey at Washington which is of considerable importance to the arid land states that are expecting government aid in the matter of irrigation. Newell suggests that it would be desirable for the people of Oregon to unite on a recommendation of the irrigation schemes and make a report to the secretary of the interior. This version of the department's attitude is directly opposed to the action of the irrigation convention held in Portland last November when the matter was left to the judgment of the different counties.

At the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Monday night there was considerable discussion with reference to the bubonic plague situation in San Francisco. While members of the chamber realize that plague exists at the Bay city, it is the general impression that the great cry raised against that port was a Seattle move calculated to lessen San Francisco's chances of securing the choicest portion of the transport business, for which bitter warfare was waged. The Astoria chamber decided to take no action, believing that it would lend itself to an unfair proposal were it to echo the sentiment elsewhere expressed.

The young man who appeared at St. Mary's hospital a few days ago for treatment for smallpox is at the pest-house and getting along as well as could be expected. City Physician Cordner states that he has a very pronounced case of the disease, which is now making its appearance on the hands and face. Doctor Cordner says he is satisfied the sufferer will pull through. His name is Harvey Rufford and his home is in Harvoniaville.

III. He came west only a short time ago and worked in the logging camp of Wilson & Olson, near La Center, Wash. He is not yet 18 years of age, his birthday falling in the month of July. He is supposed to have contracted smallpox while at a La Center hotel. After leaving La Center he went to Goble, and then came on down to Astoria. He is very much downhearted and is fearful that his parents will learn of his predicament. The lad is receiving every possible attention.

Yesterday the Washington legislature passed a resolution authorizing the appointment of a committee to confer with the Oregon legislature's committee on Columbia river fisheries. A conference is to be held next Saturday at Glynpla. The action of the Washington legislature will receive the commendation of the people interested in fishing, as the committees will unquestionably arrive at a definite understanding as to new measures affecting the interests on both sides of the river. The principal matter to be called up for discussion is that pertaining to licenses. The Oregon legislature has already considered a license bill, and a like bill will be necessary in the sister state in order to secure results.

The lighthouse tender Columbine, quite unlike the diminutive revenue cutter Perry, is a valuable aid to the shipping interests of the northwest coast, as was exemplified Monday night when the Alsternixe went ashore at the Heads. The Columbine hastened to the scene of the disaster, arriving first, and her searchlight was turned on the stranded vessel. While it was impossible to render any assistance, on account of the fact that the bark had been driven across the sand pit there, the Columbine was prepared to render aid, nevertheless, or to assist the life crews in rescuing the men. This tender, and the Manzanita, too, have always unhesitatingly gone to the assistance of vessels in distress, besides carefully attending the aids to navigation in these waters. Both Captain Richardson and Captain Gregory are considered at all times, and it is indeed fortunate that their vessels are stationed here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Patton returned yesterday from Los Angeles, after a month's stay for rest and recuperation. Mr. Patton says he met a large number of Oregonians in the southern California city. He speaks highly of Los Angeles, which is now a bustling city of 150,000 people. Thousands of tourists regularly visit the city; the hotels and lodging houses are crowded, and the streets are constantly thronged with people. Mr. Patton characterizes it as the liveliest town on the coast. The orange groves are now full of yellow fruit. Many of the growers keep coal or oil fires burning among the trees to prevent injury from frosts. By this means the temperature in the groves is raised from 3 to 10 degrees. Since January 1 about 8 inches of rain has fallen, which is something unusual, and decidedly to the liking of the fruit growers and farmers.

PERSONAL MENTION
P. Becker of Portland is in the city.
B. Johnson a resident of Chinook is in the city.
Arthur Hess is in the city from his home on Youngs river.
Captain Auhagen of the Alsternixe is registered at the Occident.
M. A. Wertz of Grants Pass is registered at the Parker House.
Ray McIntire, a merchant of Hammond, spent yesterday in the city.
O. P. Britt and V. E. Matthews were in the city yesterday from Naboceta.

George Jackson, editor of the Cathlamet Sun spent last night in the city.
M. Perkins and Bert Rittenhouse, both of Ashland, are in the city enroute for Tillamook.
L. Veysey arrived from Portland last night and registered at the Occident. He will inspect the condition of the stranded bark Alsternixe.
J. A. Cole an experienced mill man arrived in the city last night from Everett and contemplates locating here. He is a guest of the Parker House.

SEARCHING FOR THE POLE.
Until different means have been adopted from those tried in the past it seems about useless to make any further effort to locate the North pole. It is also useless to make an effort to cure disorders of the stomach, liver, kidneys or bowels unless you use Hoettler's Stomach Bitters, which is world renowned as a cure for such ailments. It will strengthen and tone up the weak stomach, restore the appetite, and stimulate the liver and kidneys. There is no medicine in the world so good as the Bitters to cure sick headache, heartburn, indigestion, dyspepsia, constipation, liver and kidney troubles or malaria, fever and ague. When in need of a remedy of this kind do not fail to try the Bitters. It will surely do you good. Don't accept a substitute.

FIRE SALE.
The damaged stock of clothing, wraps cloaks and millinery is now being sold at remarkably reduced prices in order to make room for an entirely new stock coming. Don't fail to call and see the goods. Almost have them at your own price.
MRS. INGLETON, Welch Block, & Co.

TRIED TO SAVE THE BARK

EFFORTS OF CAPTAIN WERE TO AVOID WRECK.

The Alsternixe Is High and Dry, But It Is Thought That She Will Soon Be Floated.

The German bark Alsternixe is still stranded on Republic spit, a southwest projection of San Island, with a strong likelihood that she will remain there for an indefinite period, although her master, Captain Richard Auhagen, is very optimistic regarding her speedy entry into deep water. The alarm that was at first felt for the members of her crew and the desperate efforts made to save them have developed in the present light of facts to have been rather unnecessary, as the vessel sets in a perfectly upright position and there is not the least probability of her going to pieces. Indeed it is the intention of Captain Auhagen to return to the vessel today with his entire crew and remain on board hereafter. Arrangements will at once be made for getting her off. Just when this can be accomplished, of course, must be a subject largely of conjecture, but that she will be safely floated very soon her captain is positive.

Regarding his trip up from San Francisco and the stranding of his vessel Captain Auhagen last evening made the following statement to an Astorian representative:
"We left San Francisco Tuesday, February 3, at 4 p. m. and for two days enjoyed fair weather. Then westerly gales set in, blowing with terrific force. At 1:30 yesterday afternoon we made land but up to that time and until later the Alsternixe at no time proved unmanageable.

"Upon reaching the mouth of the Columbia the turbulency of the sea and the constantly increasing velocity of the wind rendered it unsafe to remain outside, as the vessel sat so light in the water she would be, I knew, influenced perhaps to a disastrous extent by the elements. So determined at all hazards to save my ship and crew, I crossed in a little after 4 o'clock.

"What happened after that, was, as it terminated, for the best. I at no time lost my bearings, and had a perfectly good course, but the fierce gale, in spite of all effort tended to drive us toward the north shore. This certainly could result only in a complete wreck with a frightful loss of life and so I turned the vessel for the only point of land available and drove her solidly there for the express purpose of saving her, which was accomplished and I am pleased to know that the Alsternixe is today as sound as ever and that we all escaped unscathed.

The Alsternixe is of 2902 tons burthen and is reported to be the largest sailing vessel that has ever attempted to enter this port. She is chartered to load lumber at Portland for China. Effort will be made at once to float her and those concerned with the arrangements are perfectly sanguine as to the final result.

Captain James Keating visited the scene of the stranded vessel yesterday afternoon and reports that at low water she is practically high and dry. He observed a horse standing alongside the ship and men ran out on the bow sprit and leaped off on dry sand. Nevertheless Captain Keating believes that with the use of anchors when the tides are propitious the vessel can be floated without difficulty. As there is a powerful donkey engine on board Captain Keating further believes that the work may be greatly expedited by using it.

READ ALL OF THIS.
You Never Know the Moment When This Information May Prove of Infinite Value.

It is worth considerable to any reader to know the value and use of medicine, for if there is no occasion to employ it, in the meantime, frail humanity is subject to so many influences and unforeseen contingencies that the wisest are totally unable to gauge the future. Know, then, that Doan's Ointment will cure any case of hemorrhoids, commonly known as piles, or any disease of the cuticle or skin, generally termed eczema. One application convinces—a continuation cures. Read the proof:
T. H. Thomas, attorney of 600 E. Bennett avenue, Cripple Creek, says: "I just as emphatically endorse Doan's Ointment today as I did in the month of June 1899. At that time I went to a drug store for a box which I used for itching hemorrhoids. A few applications gave wonderful relief, and a short continuation of the treatment cured me. There have been symptoms of a recurrence since, but a few applications of the remedy never fails to bring positive relief. My opinion of Doan's Ointment, then expressed, is the same today as it was when it was first brought to my notice."

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Treasurer of the Brooklyn East End Art Club.

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