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MONTHLY TIDE TABLES

Table with columns for High Water and Low Water for February 1903, listing times for each day of the month.

THE MORNING ASTORIAN

TO DAY'S WEATHER
Portland, Feb. 19.—Western Oregon and Washington—Showers.

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Abram Saarenen, who is residing with his uncle, Mr. Saarenen in West Astoria, had the misfortune last night to meet with a fall on the premises of his home that resulted in a fractured skull.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Lighthouse Inspector, customs house, Portland, Ore., until 12 o'clock p. m., March 16, 1903.

The bowling committee of the Commercial club has issued another call for recruits for a trip to Salem.

Will F. Hall, manager of the Hall Packing company of Portland, is in the city advancing the interests of his business.

The work of making preparations for floating the stranded bark Alsterrike is progressing satisfactorily.

Tonight the Weston & Herbert Vaudeville company open their ten-night engagement at Fishers' opera house.

An order restraining the persons named from interfering in any way with the British ship Riverside, the crew of the vessel of the captain, Porter, was served yesterday on J. J. Kenney and Patrick Lynch.

Galloway's bill to license sailor boarding-house men and to protect sailors—the measure known as anti-crimp bill—passed the senate with amendments.

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The attendance at last evening's meeting of the Civic Improvement league was quite small, too small, in fact to do any effective work.

Among those who had joined in the pursuit were the town marshal, a deputy sheriff and two other men, who unfortunately had the good judgment to enlist the services of a handcar.

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SENSATIONAL FINALE TO KIDNAPING CASE.

William Martin Seizes Child at Kelo and Files With Mob at His Heels.

The sensational kidnaping of the little 5 year old son of William Martin by Mrs. Martin, last week, had a fitting climax in the sensational manner in which the father regained custody of his child.

On last Thursday evening Mrs. Martin carried off the child from the apartments of her husband on Commercial street, between Twelfth and Fourteenth.

However, the father was not content to let matters rest, and ever since the kidnaping he had been making quiet inquiries as to the whereabouts of the woman who had stolen his child.

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Advertisement for Serviceable Baskets, Tooth and Hair Brushes, and Foard & Stokes Co. products, highlighting their quality and variety.

Advertisement for THE ASTORIA, Astoria's Newest Hotel, opened January 1, 1903, offering entertainment and moderate prices.

Advertisement for STOVES, now is the time to buy heating and cooking stoves at low prices, featuring Adams & Henningsen.

Advertisement for NEW STYLE CHOP HOUSE, P. F. Peterson, Proprietor, offering the best arranged eating house in Astoria.

Advertisement for The Best Restaurant, The Palace Cafe, offering regular meals and Sunday dinners.

Large advertisement for BEECHAM'S PILLS, THE WORLD'S MEDICINE, for bilious and nervous disorders, sick headache, constipation, and other ailments.