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FEBRUARY, 1908.					FEBRUARY, 1903.				
High Water.	A. M.				Low Water.	A. M.		P. M.	
Date.	h.m.	ft.	h.m.	ft.	Date.	h.m.	ft.	h.m.	f
SUNDAY 1	3:03	7.9	2:58	7.6	SUNDAY	9:03			1.00
Monday 2	3:36	8.0	8:44	7.2	Monday 2	9:46	1.9	9:45	ĭ
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Friday	1:50	8.3	1:42	8.5	Friday 13		1.6	8:14	0
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turged an indictment against E. F.

Libke, J. N. Heckard and D. Heck-

ard, charging them with injuring a

trial March i. This indictment is an-

other step in the notorious Lewis and

Clark road case. The three men in-

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The Epworth League of the M. E. church will give a George Washington social at the parsonage, corner of Ninth and Exchange streets, Friday evening, February 20. All young people are cordially invited.

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What is the trouble? Faulty pump ing 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 neating. 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

No Dessert More Attractive Why use gelatine and spend hours soaking, sweetening, flavoring and coloring when

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Abram Saarenen, who is residing with his ancie, 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, Dr. O. B. Estes was summonas seriously hurt but that he is conscicovery. The 'njured man is 18 years

ustoms house, Portland, Ore., until 12 opened, for furnishing and delivering provisions and fuel for vessels and stations in the 13th lighthouse district durof which, with " blank proposals and kins, U S. N., Inspector.

The bowling committee of the Commercial club has issued another call night Mrs. Hannaford secured the best risk that the consequences might aid ladies' score and won the prize which Bourne." the committee had offered.

Will F. Hall, manager of the Hall Packing company of Portland, is in the city advancing the interests of his business. Mr. Hall is making a feature Send in your orders for Wyoming of their Eagle brand tamales and is meeting with flattering success in inporthwest. The house does a heavy business with this article in San Francisco and California generally, but in Good morning! Have you bought carries samples with him and last night they were served hot and steaming to a house; must be modern; will pay \$20 number of Astorians, who appreciated to \$25 per month; address P.O. box 560. the palatable treat.

The work of making preparations for floating the stranded bark Alsternixe is progressing satisfactorily, and the chances are that the vessel will easily be hauled back into deep water when the high tides set in early next month. Yesterday three mushroom anchors, each weighing 5000 pounds, arrived down the river and were taken to the ship. There were also two steel cables, each 2000 feet in length, in the shipment. The anchors will be placed out and the cables run from them to city of Astoria has been set for trial March 9. Plaintiff asks \$5000 damages for injuries suffered by falling through float the vessel.

In the circuit court yesterday Jennie ville company open their tox-night end would naturally be given to it seeing plaint stipulated cruelty and failure to provide as the grounds for action. The plaintiff is allowed under the decree to resume her maiden name, Jennie York. They do a very funny Irish encouraged by the club, with which it knock-about act which introduces lit-The bill introduced by Representa-Johnny Ray. The Three Rosebuds do quest-a clean city. tive Carnahan to fix the salaries of a very enteraining specialty introducdeputy county officials has been withing singing, dancing etc., and with Wes drawn. A new measure has been offer ton and Herbert, Hugh J. Emmett. Lited by Senator Fulton and has passed tle Carrie, Miss May Myers and Edison the upper house. It provides that the latest improved bloscope an evening sheriff of Clatsop county shall appoint can be well spent. Secure your seats at Griffin's book store.

One of the leading features of the library entertainment given Tuesday An order restraining the persons namevening was the vocal selection by Miss ed from interfering in any way with the Shaw of Portland. It is seldom that British ship Riverside, the crew of the vessel of the captain, Porter, was servan Astoria audience has the pleasure of hearing a vocalist from abroad who ed yesterday on J. J. Kenney and Patsings with the perfection that Miss rick Lynch, local sailor boarding-house Shaw does and the applause, which masters. Captain Porter never makes amounted nearly to an ovation, attestport that trouble does not ensue, and ed stronger than words the appreciahe has been enjoying his full share recently at Portland. Some days ago work on the outward trip were set up-Astoria, Ore., Feb. 4.-1903.- Sealed on and beaten at Portland, and the act proposals in triplicate, will be receivwas laid at the door of the rungers. In ed at this office until 10 o'clock a. m., an effort to prevent repetition of the March 5, 1903, and then opened, for the tipuble, the captain instituted the reconstruction of a plank road on Fort straining proceedings, and in a general Canby inflitary reservation, Washingway included all Columbia river boardton. Plans and specifications may be ing-house masters in the complaint,

Galloway's bill to license sailor boarding house men and to protect sallors -the measure known as anti-crimp bill -passed the senate with amendments. The bill as it passed finally is different he so many respects from the bill as presented that the author probably would searcely recognize it, but it is generally conceded that as passed the measure is a thoroughly good-one, and that it will meet with the necessities of the case fully. When the bill was plank road. The case has been set for called up Senator McGinn explained its provisions and advocated its passage. Some changes had been made in the bill as it came from the house, he said. tee appointed to build the road. They The house bill had provided a license determined upon a new route and took for keepers of sailor boarding houses it upon themselves to remove some of of \$50. This had been raised to \$250. the planking from the original road. The house bill had provided that sallor This resulted in a suit instituted by ob- boarding house keepers furnish a bond produces better results in two minutes? Everything in the package. Simply add hot water and set to cool. It's perfection. Asserbise to the housewife. No trouble, less expense. Try it to day. In Four Frait Flavors: Lomon, Grange, Strawberry, Raspoors.

Jecting settlers, and the case will be fought the courts. The settlers have been unable to get together in the matter, and the prospects for a new road through the fertile valley of the Lewis and Clark are decidedly was then placed on final pasage, and not a dissenting vote was recorded. new road through the fertile valley of fore hoped it would do so. The bill 578 Commercial street,

secured from reliable sources the Journal is in a position to predict that at about midnight tomorrow night, at the ous and that there is hope of his re- special session of the legislature. Harvey W. Scott will be elected United of age and arrived here from Finland States senator. This is the program now, but of course it may be complete ly changed before the time for a ballot, Scaled proposals will be received at However, thus far the plans for electhe office of the lighthouse inspector, tion have not been disturbed." Elsewhere the Journal has another story o'clock m , March 16, 1903, and then that presents a different phase of the situation. "The senatorial fight has assumed a new phase, which is sensational in the extreme. Jonathan Bourne ing the fiscal year to end June 30, 1904, is becoming so formidable a factor that in accordance with specincations, copies panic has seized the supporters of Harvey W. Scott. Bourne's election as senother information, may be had upon ator would men complete overthrow of application to Commander C. G. Cal- the machine which now dominates Portland politics and there is a possibility that the machine may be forced in order to avert the election of Bourne to throw all its strength to Geer; The for recruits for a trip to Salem. The latter is anything but an acceptable can and her husband learned that it was manner in which the team is to be se- didate to the majority of the Multnomected has not been announced as yet ah delegation, but his election would be by Mr. Wise, but it is probable a try- vastly preferable in the eyes of the maout will be inaugurated. There is plenty chine to that of Johnathan Bourne. of good naterial in the club, and it is It will probably be determined toexpected that Mr. Wise will get to- night whether Scott's name can safely gether an aggregation that will win be presented to the legislature. It will aurels for Itself on outside alleys. Last not be presented if there is any serious

league was quite small, too small, in fact to do any effective work and so the election of officers and the outlining of work for the future, scheduled for the meeting, will, of necessity, take troducing the goods throughout the place later. The Civic Improvement league has had decidedly an up hill existence almost since its inception. The only reason for its existence is that this part of the world the tamale is the city may be benefitted and it seems somewhat of a novelty. Mr. Hall a pity the organization has not all along been accorded the hearty support of the public that it so much deserves. There are 34 individual members of the league and a number of fraternal bodies are identified with the organization, but in spite of this the Civic Improvement league has some how got lost in the shuffle. In order to obviate this apparent inattention to a most worthy cause it is being suggest ed that the league affiliate with some other body in the city, whose aim is for the betterment of the community, at the same time retaining its individuality as the chief factor for practical and immediate amelioration of the innumerable evils that are constantly in evidence when an organized movement is not on foot to keep them down. The the two engines aboard. By the time idea is to have the Push club or the the high tides occur everything will be Woman's club take the league under in readiness for the supreme effort to its wing, so to speak, and that would shal commanded Mr. Martin to stop be ample assurance that a quorum Tonight the Weston & Herbert Vaude transact business and more attention bring his gun into play when Mr. Margreeted with a growded house. Among ested in its success. The league could the company are the Four Bragdons act somewhat as a committee on matwho are a special feature from New ters of improvement are guided and would be affiliated, would unquestiontle-Clifford, the 8 year old Irish com- ably attain the object for which it has median, termed the pocket edition of for so long made such inneffectual

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Almost 1000 people attended the masque ball given last night at Foard & Stokes' hall by the Sons of Herman The large pavillon was gully decorated and presented a brilliant scene through out the evening. The costumes of the Columbia to this city. They arrived at maskers were attractive and altogether three men whom he had engaged to the ball was an unqualified success. The Columbia orchestra rendered excellent music, which added greatly to his friends. the pleasures of the night. The judges -Olaf Anderson, L. H. Sprauer and Monroe Sander, the latter of Portland, awarded the prizes as follows:

First-Best dressed lady-Mrs. Harry Jones; prize, rocking chair, Second-Best dressed gentleman-Vi-

tor Lindbeck: prize, center table. Third-Best sustained lady's characer-William Simpson; prize, lamp. Fourth-Best sustained gentleman's haracter-Sidney Snow; prize, umbrel- Martin will allow himself to be caugh

Fifth-Second best dressed lady-Mrs Fred J. Brown; prize, water pitcher. Sixth-Second best dressed gentle man-George Malar; prize, smoking

Seventh-Second best sustained lady's character-Miss Jennie Porter: prize

Eighth-Second best sustained gentle man's character-Louis Hauffe; prize,

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KIDNAPING CASE.

tin carried off the child from the apart-The woman had left her husband some weeks previously to visit friends at Kelso, Wash., but she failed to return her purpose to remain permanently away., Mrs. Martin returned unexpectedly, secured the boy, placed him in a hack and hurried with him to the eastern portion of the city, where mother and son boarded a waiting launch. Mr. Martin's efforts at the time to overtake the runaway mother were unavailing.

would invariably be in attendance to of the law. The officer was about to

kept at a respectful distance. did not purpose to run the risk of a trip on the river boat, and so the woodmen took him in a small boat down the

Mr. Martin will now institute divorce proceedings against Mrs. Martin. He will ask custody of the child, and pending settlement of the case will see to it that the little fellow does not fall into e care of his mother.

NOTICE TO FISHERMEN. Notice is hereby given that it is unlawful for any person or persons to operate or maintain, or leave in a condition to take fish, in any of the waters of this state, any set-net, gill-net, fish trap, fish wheel, seine or any device or apparatus or gear used in catching salmon fish or sturgeon, without first hav

Any person found violating any of the provisions of this act will be prosecuted and all gear found in violation thereof will be seized and condemned. All licenses issued during the year 1902 expired December 31, 1902, Licens fees for the year 1903 are now due and payable at the office of the fish warder in the Page building, Astoria, Oregon H. G. VAN DUSEN,

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SENSATIONAL FINALE TO

William Martin Seizes Child at Kelso and Flies 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 which the father regained custody of his child. Yesterday Mr. Martin returned to the city with the boy, after one of the most exciting experiences that a father ever went through for a

However, the father was not content to let matters rest, and ever since the kidnaping he had been making quiet The attendance at last evening's inquiries as to the whereabouts of the meeting of the Civic Improvement woman who had stolen his child. He finally located her at Kelso, where she was living under the name of Mrs. B. Logan. The launch on which she made her sensational get-away from Astoria had taken her to Kalama, from which town she proceeded to Kelso, thern Pacific. On Tuesday Mr. Martin appeared at Kelso, and on Wednesday morning he found his boy, who was playing in the yard of his new home. The father jumped over the fence or seeing the child, and, taking it in his arms, started down the railroad track Mrs. Martin witnessed the coup that her husband had executed and at once she set up a cry for assistance. Mr. Martin soon found himself in the uncomfortable position of a fugitive, with a crowd of men, women, boys and dogs on his trail. However, he continued the flight, and it seemed for a time that

Among those who had joined in th 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. On this car they started after the father. and were not long in overtaking him. When within hailing distance the marand surrender himself into the custody to him; that he had done nothing wrong, and that any effort on the part of the men to arrest 'is flight would be resisted. He told his little story in a manner which carried the conviction that he meant exactly what he said. and those who know "Billy" Martin will agree that the officers and their companions displayed excellent judgment when they acted on the suggestion that the father should not be mo lested. Instead of mixing matters with him, they started back for town and Martin continued happily on his way. The crowd which had followed

Mr. Martin reached the Cowlitz river in safety, and came across two woodmen, A. D. Chamberlain and Simon Cuthware. He related to them the incidents of the previous hours and offered to pay them handsomely if they would take him to Astoria. Mr. Martin noon yesterday after a journey of 60 miles, and the father has since been busy receiving the congratulations of

Altogether, the episode was the most exciting of the kind that was ever enacted in this part of the country. Mrs Martin is due to make the next move but it is not at all probable that Mr

ing obtained a license.

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