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MONTHLY TIDE TABLES

Table with columns for High Water, Low Water, and dates for February 1903. Includes sub-tables for A.M. and P.M. times.

There were two church socials given last night in the city and in spite of counter-attractions were well attended. The Presbyterian Christian Endeavor society gave a Good Time social at the home of Mrs. J. A. Rannels and the Epworth League of the Methodist church held forth at the parsonage, corner of Ninth and Exchange streets. Excellent programs were rendered at both affairs and a genuine good time was had by all in attendance.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the lighthouse inspector, customs house, Portland, Ore., until 12 o'clock p. m., March 15, 1903, and then opened, for furnishing and delivering provisions and fuel for vessels and stations in the 13th lighthouse district during the fiscal year to end June 30, 1904, in accordance with specifications, copies of which, with blank proposals and other information, may be had upon application to Commander C. G. Calkins, U. S. N., inspector.

The chief clerks of the railway mail service of the Pacific coast division, who have been in convention in San Francisco for the last three days, have completed their labors and adjourned. It was decided to modify the examinations of clerks who aspire to enter the service by eliminating all superfluous matter which has not bearing upon the duties required of a railway mail clerk. It is understood that Superintendent Thall will issue orders for the proposed simplification of the examinations within a few days.

City Physician Cordner stated yesterday that the young man who for the past few weeks has been a patient at the pest house is about recovered and that he will be in a position to let him out in a few days. It will be remembered that the patient is the young fellow who walked from Goble to this place suffering from smallpox and applied for admission at the local hospital. At the time the disease had developed to an alarming extent, but careful nursing has done its work and he is now practically well.

It was authoritatively stated last night that Mrs. William Martin arrived in the city yesterday noon and that she is here for the purpose of regaining possession of her now famous 5 year old son. Mrs. Martin is reported to be traveling under the name of Mrs. L. B. Logan. She has not yet started the hull rolling and the probability is will not for the present. Mrs. Martin has instituted a suit for divorce from William E. Martin in Portland the plaintiff alleging cruel treatment and requesting the custody of the child.

It is very likely that the interests of the Pacific coast will be guarded in the department of commerce and labor and a committee representing the leading wholesale tea and grocery houses of San Francisco has recommended the appointment of C. J. Toohy for the position of chief of the bureau of manufactures in that portfolio. The chief commercial bodies of the coast will be asked to second their choice. Mr. Toohy is at present government inspector of teas at that port. It is understood that the president desires to appoint a Pacific coast man.

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, Warrenton. 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 Geo. L. Goodale, Capt. and Quartermaster, U. S. Army.

The steam whaling fleet is getting ready for sea as fast as possible, says a dispatch from San Francisco. The Belvedere is now fitting out for her annual cruise. The Jeanette and William Bayliss are on the dry dock being thoroughly overhauled. The Morning Star, formerly a missionary ship, is rapidly undergoing conversion into a whaler. On account of her light draught the Monterey with the aid of her auxiliary power, is expected to go into waters inaccessible to the big whalers. The bark Wanderer has sailed for Japanese waters. At the close of the season she will go to her old home, New Bedford.

Seattle is to have another line of ocean freighters to all parts of the world. It is to be a fleet of sailing ships owned by the general society of shipping of Paris, the first of the boats will arrive there in about three months. Capt. Louis C. Sauvage, of Paris, is now in the city arranging for the inauguration of the line, which eventually will consist of 30 boats, eight of which are at the present time in operation. Capt. Sauvage has been in the city for the past several days, looking over the prospects for the line. He is satisfied with the outlook, and announces that it will be put on. "I have been on a tour of the Pacific coast for the purpose of looking over the field for sailing vessels," he said in an interview. "I am one of the stockholders in the general society of shipping of Paris, and at the present time we have eight boats on the water. However, within a short time we expect to have 30 of these vessels, and they will all, or as many of them as are needed, call at Seattle and other ports on the Pacific coast. Three of

our boats have already been on the Columbia, and have taken wheat cargoes from there. The intention is to extend the service to San Francisco, Astoria, Seattle and Vancouver, and whatever other ports there are on the Pacific coast that are in need of them."

The refined vaudeville entertainment given last evening at Fishers' by the Weston-Herbert combination excelled anything of the kind that ever came through the northwest. Most people are not educated up to modern vaudeville, and the name implies something vulgar and unfit for ladies and children. However, vaudeville is in no manner of color, but rather a form of amusement that is destined soon to supplant the time-honored comedy performance. For a number of reasons, the attendance last night was not what it should have been, but a better pleased crowd never sat through a performance. Every member of the company is an artist, and the troupe includes the most remarkable juvenile comedians on the road. The little fellow, Master Clifford Bragdon, is more than a show in himself. He sustains an Irish character in a truly astounding manner, and the audience went wild over him. There are three other Bragdons—Loren, the elder Harold and Wilbur—and their work is indeed rare. Hugh J. Emmett made his initial bow to an Astorian audience last evening and was accorded a send-off that was flattering in the extreme. Mr. Emmett is an artist of exceptional ability, and as a ventriloquist has few equals. He sang a song last night that alone was worth the price of admission, and in many other specialties demonstrated his talent. Miss Carrie Weston is a charming little lady whose work is clever and whose illustrated solos were very pleasing. Weston and Herbert richly deserve all the credit that they have received from the press of the coast, for no better specialists take money from the public. Their comedy sketch, "Down on the Farm," provoked no end of merriment, as did their novelty musical turn. All in all, the show is superb, and at tonight's performance the house should be packed to the doors. Theatergoers should bear in mind that the entertainment is refined in every sense of the word and that nothing transpires which would bring even the faintest trace of a blush to the face of any young lady.

CHURCHES
German Lutheran, Zion's—Services at 11 a. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. First Lutheran—Rev. Oscar Ostrom will preach both morning and evening. Grace—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school 12:30. Services at Holy Innocents' chapel at 3:30 p. m. Methodist—Rev. Harold Oberg will preach. Interesting and helpful themes will be presented. Sunday school as usual. Baptist—All services as usual. Sermons will be preached from the following subjects: "The New Birth," and "Christian Love." Presbyterian—Services as usual. The theme of the morning sermon will be: "God's Gift of Light." Evening: "A Saying of One of the Recent Characters in Fiction."

Norwegian-Danish Methodist—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. Subject: "The Pillars in the Temple of God." Song service, 7 p. m. Preaching, 7:45 p. m. Subject: "Judge Not, Let Ye Be Judged." Special services every night this week. Rev. C. L. Hansen from Portland will preach.

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NOTICE
All members of the Young Men's Republican club are requested to meet this evening at the courthouse at 8 p. m. to make suitable arrangements for receiving Hon. C. W. Fulton on his return to Astoria.
J. C. McCue, President.
W. B. Young, Secretary.

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ASTORIANS WENT WILD

FRANTIC OVER ELECTION OF C. W. FULTON

Bells Were Rung, Bombs Were Exploded and Pandemonium Reigned.

Astoria went wild with delight a few minutes after 12 this morning, and for the rest of the night the streets were crowded with madly enthusiastic men and women, all celebrating the greatest victory that Astoria has ever won. Bells were rung, whistles blown and bombs exploded. On every hand there was wild delight, and Astoria gave vent to its enthusiasm as only Astoria can.

From noon yesterday to midnight anxious crowds gathered about the bulletin boards at The Astorian office and other places where returns were received. When the noon ballot came in and it was seen that "Charlie" had his own, the hopes of the people rose and it was freely predicted that he would succeed in the gallant struggle he has carried on. However, the great test was still to come, and every bit of news that could be gathered furnished additional material for speculation.

Toward 8 o'clock the excitement became intense. As each bulletin announcing the result of the balloting was received, the hundreds who thought of nothing else aired their views. To say that they were satisfied with the noble stand of the 33 men who had all along clung to the Astoria man is to express it mildly. The determined stand of the Fulton forces buoyed up the spirits of the people of the city, but still it looked dark for Senator Fulton, for he had not made any gains. Well posted men, however, remarked that the indication was a good one, for it went to show that efforts to break up the Fulton forces were proving ineffectual.

The bulletin announcing the candidacy of Scott was awaited with much interest, and when it became known that his name was not presented until almost midnight the opinion was general that he could not be elected. Things were at a standstill—the usual lull before the storm—when there suddenly came over the wires a brief but wonderfully pleasing message. It was to the effect that Charlie Fulton had been successful. The waiting crowd was acquainted with the news and there went up a genuine Astoria shout—one of those whole-souled cheers that left no doubt as to the sincerity of the cheerers. Then the bells started to ring. First the big fire bell rang out and then followed the church bells. In two minutes the city was crazy. The enthusiasts broke into stores and secured large supplies of firecrackers and bombs, and there followed a celebration that is seldom surpassed even on the glorious Fourth. To attempt to describe the scenes of enthusiasm that were enacted would be impossible. The juvenile spirit manifested itself in everyone and joy reigned supreme.

Calls were issued last night for a meeting at the courthouse this evening to make arrangements to receive Senator Fulton on his triumphant return to the city.

Oregon's new senator is a native of Lima, O., and was born August 24, 1853. He received his early education at Magnolia, Ia., and Pawnee City, Neb. He came to Oregon in 1875, and in July of that year took up his residence here, engaging in the practice of law. His first run for office was in 1878, when he was elected state senator. He was re-elected to the state senate in 1880, 1888 and 1902.

ABOUT WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY
Washington's birthday was made a legal holiday by vote of the Massachusetts legislature, the first one observed being February 22, 1867. Prior to that time his birthday was only observed by personal friends. The birthday of the celebrated hostess, Stomach Bitters was 50 years ago, and the fact that it has remained before the public continually since that time is positive proof that it is founded on true merit. There is also positive proof of its value in the record of cures of heartburn, indigestion, flatulency, dizziness, dyspepsia, constipation, biliousness, and malaria, fever and ague that is back of it, also in the hundreds of voluntary testimonials received annually. Give it a fair trial. It will cure you even after other remedies have failed. Be sure to get the genuine.

TO CITIZENS OF ASTORIA
All Citizens, irrespective of party affiliations, are requested to meet at the courthouse this evening at 8 p. m. with the Young Men's Republican club, to arrange for a proper reception to our United States senator, Charles W. Fulton.
J. C. McCue, President.

MOLLE HOGANS, ATTENTION
There will be a special meeting of the Mollie Hogans one week from this evening at the usual hour in the Old Fellows' building. All charter members are requested to be present.

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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.
A banquet will be given one week from today in the rooms formerly occupied by the Push club, on Bond street next to Wells Fargo Express company, for the benefit of the Woman's club. The exact hour has not been definitely settled upon as yet, but will be announced later.

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