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THE TIDES FOR APRIL.

High Water.			Low Water.		
Date.	A. M.	P. M.	Date.	A. M.	P. M.
Friday	3:38	7:53	Friday	10:34	1:10:30
Saturday	4:20	8:40	Saturday	11:11	1:41:37
SUNDAY	5:10	9:40	SUNDAY	12:06	2:17:10
Monday	6:12	10:46	Monday	1:01	2:59
Tuesday	7:25	11:58	Tuesday	2:01	3:47
Wednesday	8:45	12:31	Wednesday	3:07	4:32
Thursday	9:48	1:00	Thursday	4:20	5:05
Friday	10:42	1:10	Friday	5:24	5:23
Saturday	11:31	1:16	Saturday	6:05	5:14
SUNDAY	12:19	1:18	SUNDAY	6:45	5:02
Monday	1:04	1:14	Monday	7:27	4:50
Tuesday	1:50	1:10	Tuesday	8:10	4:38
Wednesday	2:39	1:05	Wednesday	8:55	4:26
Thursday	3:30	1:01	Thursday	9:05	4:15

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PORTLAND STRIKE SITUATION.

The strike situation in Portland is expected to be finally adjusted in the next few days and that by arbitration. The union men have expressed their willingness so to do and have appointed representatives to meet members of the master associations. A strong letter has been presented to the master painters' association by Mayor Williams in which he urges that organization to follow out the proposed plan. It is agreed generally that if an agreement is not reached soon that nonunion men will be put to work. In that event the outcome is not pleasant to contemplate. In speaking of the situation last evening's Telegram said: "The members of the building trades unions have carried out the plan inaugurated last Friday night at the mass meeting, so far as it is in their power to do so; and now it rests with the master painters and master builders to do the rest. This is practically the situation after the action taken by the building trades council last night, and resultant action today by the president of that body and Mayor Williams, as expressed in the communication of that official to the employers. As yet there has been no action taken by the contracting painters and builders, and not a word will be said by them as to what action is likely to be when the matter is finally taken up. It is a fact that a conference was held this afternoon, but it is claimed that the mayor's communication had not then been received and was not the subject of discussion."

OUR CITY TO HAVE LIQUID AIR.

Astoria is to have an opportunity of witnessing the marvelous things done by liquid air, an engagement having been made for a splendid lecture and expert demonstration to appear at Fishers' opera house on Friday evening, May 1, bringing a supply of genuine liquid air and complete apparatus with which to perform the dozens of startling experiments that have recently attracted world-wide attention. Liquid air boils violently when placed on ice, and freezes water when placed over a fierce fire; it renders tin and iron brittle as glass, freezes quicksilver so hard that nails are driven in a two inch plank, steel and electric light carbons will burn in it, rubber becomes like glass. Liquid air can run a heavy engine can be made a more powerful explosive than dynamite will produce complete conditions of coal, out of garbage, etc., and there are scores of practical uses for its component gases. An entertainment on this up to date subject cannot fail to be interesting and profitable. A complete demonstration of the Marconi wireless telegraphy will also be given. The high school has secured this wonderful entertainment for the benefit of the laboratory which is in great need of apparatus. The seat sale will open at Griffin's book store at 9 a. m. on Thursday for those who pledged enough tickets to secure the entertainment, and at 12 m on the same day for the general public.

TO BE LAID BY PRESIDENT.

A granite block weighing between 8 and 10 tons, out of which the base for the Lewis and Clark memorial is to be chiseled, arrived in Portland yesterday from Snake river. It was loaded onto a big truck and was hauled up to Otto Schuman's marble quarry-yard on Taylor street. Seven men were engaged for some time in getting the block off the drey and into the yard where the cornerstone for the monument is to be made. The stone is a week overdue in arriving. There was considerable difficulty in transshipment from boat to freight car at Riparia. The block is almost square; it is a little over 7x7 feet, and is pronounced a nice piece of marble. Four big horses attached to the truck had a good deal to do to pull the load. The architect on the monument says that while there was delay in getting the stone, it will be ready for dedication day May 21.

AL WAS SURPRISED.

About 10 couples, chaperoned by Mrs. Robert Wallace and Mrs. August Fricke, swooped in upon Mr. Al Johnson last evening, and Mr. Johnson was surprised like anything. Although taken somewhat off his guard, Mr. Johnson soon regained his usual composure and was able thereafter to entertain his guests royally, and the guests, being prepared, and being in an entertaining mood, entertained Mr. Johnson. So the upshot of it all was that everybody was entertained. The feature of the evening was the telling of fortunes, and this, and other forms of amusement, kept the company in high good humor until the breaking up thereof.

GRABBED TOO MUCH TIMBER.

Yesterday's Oregonian contains an article stating that a late ruling of the Oregon City land office charges open violation of the land laws against Banker Claud Thayer and Merchants Hadley and Leach of Tillamook. These gentlemen had obtained title to a large number of timber claims in that county. It is recited that the entry fees for thirteen claims were paid with a check drawn by Claud Thayer, and that all of these as well as others are being contested by Chas. E. Hays of Portland. The decision, which is in the cases of two filings, recommends their cancellation, adding: "That Thayer and his confederates were knowingly engaged in a flagrant and open violation of the law in the matter of the

various entries herein referred to is shown beyond any question by the undisputed exhibits filed herein."

FIRST STEAMER FOR NOME.

The steamer Dawson City will be the first steamer to leave for Nome this season. She will sail from Seattle May 12, taking the inside southeastern Alaska passage to Unimak pass, and thence close to the northern Alaska peninsula and Bristol bay shore. The steamer Portland will sail May 15 and the steamer May 21. The first vessel to reach Nome last year was the steamer Elk No. 1 arriving there May 27.

FORESTERS GRAND COURT.

The committee having in charge the preparations for the grand court of the order of Foresters to convene here on May 12, had a meeting last evening to complete the arrangements for that event. A committee will go to Portland to meet the delegates and escort them to the city. The court will meet in Odd Fellows' hall. On the evening of the 17th a ball will be given in Foard & Stokes' hall, and on the 14th an excursion will be run to Seaside. A parade from the Odd Fellows' hall to Foard & Stokes' hall and a banquet seating 300 guests are arranged for the first evening.

FOUR LUCKY ASTORIANS.

Will Go to the World's Fair at St. Louis, at Wise's Expense.

The other day Mr. Wise made glad the little hearts of the children by giving them noise producing toys. Now it is the turn for the older ones. In order to increase his business, Herman Wise the Reliable Clothier and Hatter, makes this offer: With every \$10 worth of goods bought at his store Mr. Wise will give a coupon entitling the holder to participate in the distribution of the tickets.

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Of course these four first-class round trip tickets including berths and meals will cost Mr. Wise about \$500, but the increase in business which Mr. Wise will enjoy will bring him more than that amount back.

The St. Louis fair will be the greatest the world has ever seen. The progress made in manufacture, the arts, and science since the last world's fair has been marvelous and probably never again will you have the opportunity to see these wonders of the twentieth century.

You know that Herman Wise has the largest and finest stock of men's and boys' tops, he has one price and treats his patrons generously. Why not trade with him and get the opportunity on these free round trip tickets to the wonderful St. Louis fair?

DEDICATION OF ST. MARY'S.

The new St. Mary's church edifice is now almost complete. Only a few more finishing touches remain to be applied. It is a handsome structure and a credit to Astoria. The lofty ceiling, the stately columns, the spacious choir loft, the richly beautiful altar, the exquisite coloring of the memorial windows and the comfortable pews make it a place of worship to be proud of. The day set for the dedication is May 24. Archbishop Christie who laid the cornerstone will officiate at the dedicatory services. Father Lane is expected to be here by that time, as he is steadily improving in health.

ENTERTAINED ON PERRY.

Captain Failing of the revenue cutter Commodore Perry, yesterday entertained a few of his gentlemen friends on board of his vessel. The guests were the following: Senator Fulton, Collector of Customs Robb, ex-Collector of Customs John Fox, and Messrs G. C. Fulton and Albert Dunbar.

PERSONAL MENTION

Wm. Barker returned from Portland last evening.
John Farsman was over from Nasel yesterday.
John Heldt of Rosberg was in the city yesterday.
F. A. Seaborg was down from Eagle Cliff yesterday.
Jacob Kahn, the hide man, spent yesterday in Astoria.
Miss Helen Riggs of Ilwaco was in the city yesterday.
Nels Sankala, the Ilwaco seiner, was in Astoria yesterday.
Miss Rose Kindred was over yesterday from Warrenton.
Miss June Stanley of Seaside spent yesterday in the city.
Prof. H. S. Lyman went down to Hammond last evening.
Sebastian Glaser of Olney was doing business in town yesterday.
Mrs. F. D. Winton and Miss Winton were passengers on the up train last evening.
The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kruse has been quite ill but is now recovering.
Mrs. Capt. Wilson and daughter arrived in Astoria on last night's train.
Dr. T. L. Ball and A. S. Skyles arrived home from Oregon City last evening.
O. H. Bellinger of the O. R. & N. engineer office in Portland, was in the city yesterday.
C. H. Callender came over from Ilwaco yesterday afternoon where he had been on a business trip.
Frank Connor returned last night from Rainier where he has been acting agent for the A. & C. R. H.
Master Fish Warden Van Dusen left last evening for a tour of inspection on the Columbia. He will go as far as Cello.
George Welch's condition was reported yesterday as decidedly improved. Very sanguine hopes are now entertained for his ultimate recovery.
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Crane and son were passengers on the Lurline last evening for Portland. Mrs. Crane and the boy are bound for Chicago on a visit. Mr. Crane returns this evening.
Rev. Mr. Welch and wife, Presbyterian missionaries in Tillamook county are visiting Rev. and Mrs. Marcotte. They return on the steamer Elmore tomorrow.

MESSAGE ON CUFF SAVED LIFE.

In the recent fire in one of our large cities an actor made known his presence on the roof of the burning building by writing a message on his cuff and casting it to the street. This wise act resulted in saving his life. It is also a wise act for anyone suffering from stomach, liver or kidney disorders to commence taking Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. It may be the means of saving your life, too, because when these diseases are allowed to run without attention serious results often occur. Commence taking the bitters today and notice the improvement in your condition. Especially in the spring it is every beneficial. It will also cure the grippe, indigestion, dyspepsia, constipation, biliousness and insomnia. Avoid all substitutes.

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