COMING EVENTS—Ninth annual regatta and street fair, Astoria, August 19-21.

Knights of Pythias, district convention, Astoria, during regatta week.

Elk's clam bake, at Seaside, August 22.

Labor Day celebration, Astoria, Sept. 7.

Clatsop County teachers' examination for state and county papers, Astoria, August 12-15.

State fair, Salem, September 14-19.

Second Southern District fair, Eugene September 29-October 3.

Summer association of the North west Indian agencies, Newport, August 17-27.

Lane county Teachers' institute, Eugene, August 4-5.

Klamath county fair, Klamath Falls, Oct. 6-9.

Good roads convention, Jacksonville, Aug. 15.

Fruitgrowers' convention, Jacksonville, Aug. 15.

MOVING PICTURES TODAY—The Astoria Electric Company has installed 14 powerful electric lights in the Kinney cannery, and the day circuit will be turned on today to enable the photoghaphers who have been in the city for several days awaiting the opportunity, to obtain moving pictures of the cannery while in full operation. The receiving platforms at the cannery are plied high with the plumpest salmon ever caught, and every man is working at the present time, so that the photographers will be able to cover the industry in every detail. This will be the second time in months that the day circuit has been used, the last time being the occasion of the benefit concert at the opera house for the benefit of the Heppner flood sufferers.

FISH WARDEN'S REPORT—The report of Master Fish Warden Van Dusen submitted yesterday with the fish commissioners shows that the receipts of the office for the month just past amount in all to $1,205.60. District No. 1 furnished $1,197.60 and the balance, $8.00 was collected from district No. 2. Disbursements equal in all $2,579.34, being for the operation and construction of hatcheries on Columbia, Umpqua and Yaquina rivers. In referring to the work being done on the Ontario hatchery the report says: "At this present time six cars of lumber have gone to the site and the four remaining should go forward the first week in August. Under these conditions I see nothing to delay matters and all should be ready for us according to the contract time. The lumber is being gotten out by the Astoria Box Co. the sash, doors and frames by Geo. Ainslie & Company of Portland: the shingles by the Metcalf Shingle Company of Tacoma, Wash the nails were gotten from the Honeyman Hardware Company of Portland: the cement, paint, etc., from the W. P. Fuller & Company of Portland." The trouble that had attended the efforts of the warden to obtain a clear title to lands at the Yaquina is referred to in the report that says in part: "At the Yaquina hatchery I have succeeded in getting a title to the lands desired for hatchery purposes and I beg to submit herewith for your approval and acceptance, a deed duly executed by Dr. F. M. Carter and wife, conveying the property desired for the hatchery buildings, and a deed executed by Mr. David B. Ramsdell and wife conveying the property desired for water supply purposes.

.. Social and Personal ..

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Nilson of East Astoria are the parents of a baby girl born Monday night.

Rt. Rev. Chas. J. O'Reilly, bishop-elect of the new diocese of Baker City, is taking an outing at Seaside.

C. W. Simon, an expert tuner from Eilers 'piano house, arrived from Portland, and will be in the city for a few days.

F. N. Smith, of Eilers' piano house, who went to Portland Sunday morning, returned to Astoria on last evening's train.

A marriage license was yesterday issued to Charle Haataja, Wahkiakum county, Wash., and Annie Niemi, Clatsop county.

Father James Rauw, of St. Paul, Or., is in the city. He will officiate at the funeral services of the late Mrs. Ellen O'Connor today.

Miss Cecile Adams, who has been the guest of Mr'. and Mrs. J. E. Eakin at Seaside for several days, returned to her home at Eugene yesterday.

It was erroneously stated yesterday that Miss Marie Utzinger had returned from Seattle where she has been visiting for some time. Mrs. Utzinger and her son Edward are home, but Miss Utzinger did not accompany them.

FLAG OF TRUCE—A Flag of Truce, performed last night by the Margarita Fischer Company, pleased a large audience. The popular aggregation gains in strength each succeeding season.

AT BEAR RIVER MOUTH—The company of Northern Pacific surveyors that has been working in the vicinity of Ilwaco, has moved to the mouth of Bear river, headed toward the Columbia. The surveyors are now within eight miles of Chinook. They started from South Bend and have surveyed the route through the Nasel country. Just where the line will strike the river is only speculation yet, but from the way they are headed it now looks as though they would come out at or near the old town of Chinook. The line is surveyed down the river from Kalama to Ilwaco, and it is thought the company intends building from South Bend to the Columbia, eight miles east of Ilwaco, and then follow the river to Kalama, where the main line will be struck. The survey has also been made down the river into Ilwaco, and the intention seems to be to build a branch down to Ilwaco and out to the beach to Stackpole harbor to tap that country.

AFRO-AMERICANS ORGANIZE

New York, August 4.—The Afro-American Equal Rights League of the State of New York has been organized at a meeting in Saratoga. Officers were elected and the president was empowered to appoint one person from each congressional district to form an executive board. Associations are expected to be formed in other states.

MUST STAND TRIAL

New York, August 4.—Recorder Goff has declined to enterain a demurrer by Robert Martin and Harry Velthusen who, as officers of the Delaware Surety Company, were indicted for perjury in connection with the Montana Copper Mine litigation. The indictments were found two years ago. Trial was fixed for August 18.

MUST HAVE BILL OF HEALTH.

Salt Lake, Aug. 4.—The Oregon Short Line and Union Pacific railroads have announced that hereafter, owing to a prevalence of "scabby" sheep among flocks of the west, they will only carry consignments of sheep accmpanied by clean bill f health from United States bureau of animal industry.

CONTRACT CONVICT LABOR

Laport, Ind., August 3.—The Indiana Prison Board, in session at Michigan City, has just opened bids for the first letting of convict labor under the new state law. Four hundred prisoners will be contracted. Seven proposals were received, ranging from 45 to 50 cents per day per man.

One of the most recent innovations in straw sailors is from Paris. It is satin straw, very smooth, with rather a high bell crown. The brim is rolled and narrow at the back. It has a band of white leather, enameled in pale colors, such as pale blue, pink, pale olive, etc. The design is not Oriental, but suggestive of mosaic.

An odd little paper weight for the desk takes the form of three small and very realistic looking volumes moulded from metal and colored to represent leather.

Coral and turquoise are latest and most popular choices in the neck beads so much worn at present. The strings are of a size to fit closely around the collar. They add a touch of color that is very desirable with a white costume.

WEST SIDE NOTES

The Misses Winthro of Portland are guests of Miss Alice Sweeney.

Miss Georgie King is visiting her sister, Mrs. Halderman at Warrenton.

Rev. Levi Johnson of Portland held services in Warren's hall on Sunday evening. A Sunday school was organized in the afternoon. Mr. Johnson will be here again the last Sunday in August.

O Saturday next, the Ladies Guild of St. Thomas Chapel will hold a sale of fancy articles. In the evening there will be a musical program. Ice cream will be served all day. This is to be in Warren's hall and all are invited.

Mr. Bly's family has returned from Roseburg, and are now located in East Warrenton.

Miss Sephia Rieman of Portland is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wirt of Skipanon.

Rev. W. E. Potwine of Pendleton held services in St. Thomas Chapel on Sunday.

Mrs. Williams has returned from a two week's visit in Yaquina. Her sister ter returned with her for the summer.

Will Gray of Vancouver, is in Warrenton this week.

BASE BALL SCORES

PACIFIC COAST.

At Seattle—Seattle 7; San Francisco 4.

At Portland—Portland 8; Sacramento 0.

At Oakland—Oakland 1; Los Angeles 0.

PACIFIC NATIONAL.

At Los Angeles—Los Angeles 9; Tacoma 2.

t Spokane—Spokane 7; San Francisco 2.

At Seattle—Seattle 6; Helena 8.

AMERICAN.

At Cleveland—Cleveland 2; Detroit 5

At St. Louis—St. Louis 3; Chicago 0.

At St. Louis—Second game— St. Louis 1, Chicago 4.

NATIONAL.

At Chicago—Chicago 1; Pittsburg 0.

OVER 600 LIVES LOST.

Full particulars were recently received from the Samoan islands in regard to the terrible hurricane which visited those islands and in which over 600 lives were lost. Such a loss is appalling, but after all is not to be compared with the numbtr of persons who have lost their lives from indigestion, dyspepsia and constipation and other stomach troubles. The number has, however, been considerably reduced since the introduction of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, 50 years ago, because it positively cures all such ailments. Your life and health are too precious to experiment with, therefore try this famous remedy first of all and be cured at once. It won't disappoint you. The genuine has our private stamp over the neck of the bottle.

Office of C. Q. M., Vancouver Barracks, Wash., July 10, 1903. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received here until 11 o'clock, A. M., August 10, 1903, for furnishing forage and bedding at posts in this department for year ending June 30, 1904. Information furnished here or by quartermasters at posts. U. S. reserves the right to reject or accept any or all proposals or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked: "Proposals for Forage and Bedding at —" and addressed to undersigned.

F. H. HATHAWAY, C. Q. M.

Office Constructing Quartermaster, Astoria, Or., July 18, 1903:—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 10 o'clock A. M., August 8, 1903, for the construction, plumbing, heating and electric wiring of one field officers and one double set of lieutenants quarters at Fort Stevens, Or. United States reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. Information and specifications furnished on application. Envelopes should be marked "Proposals for construction" and addressed to Captain Goodale, Quartermaster.

New Today

Wanted—Woman to do washing at the house once a week. Apply Mrs. Samuel Elmore, corner Franklin avenue and Eighth street.

NOTICE TO HOUSEMOVERS

Sealed proposals will be received at the parsonage of the Norwegian-Danish Methodist church, 1768 Franklin ave., Astoria, Ore., until Aug. 10, 1903, for moving the church and parsonage Information furnished. The trustees of said church reserve the right to reject any or all proposals. Address

REV. F. A. SCARVIE,
1768 Franklin ave., Astoria, Oregon.

It is predicted that the St. Louis World's Fair will eclipse all former exhibitions. Those customers of Herman Wise, the reliable clothier and hatter, who shall prove lucky enough to win one of the four first-class round trip tickets to that World's Fair will certainly see something great. Mr. Wise gives one number with every ten dollar purchase to his customers and having the largest and finest stock of men and boy's clothing, hats, etc., there is good reason for wise buyers to trade with Herman Wise.

Stein-Block suits at Danziger's.

Have you seen those new fall shirts in stiff and soft bosom at Herman Wise's?

ELECTRICAL WORK.

Interview Trullinger & Hardesty, 433 Commercial street, about your electrical work.

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For good, reliable piano work see your local tuner, Th. Frederickson, 2071 Bond stree. Phone 2074 Red.

CIGARETTES.

The newest and latest in cigarettes—Pall Malls; cork tips. at P. A. Trullinger's. Two stores.

Fancy, ripe Bartlett pears 20 cents per dozen at Johnson Bros.

BEST 15-CENT MEAL.

You will always find the best 15c meal in the city at the Rising Sun restaurant, No. 612 Commercial street.

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COAL.

We handle the best coals on the market. ELMORE & CO.
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Fancy Gravenstein apples of fine quality and at low prices. See them at Johnson Bros.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS.

Notice is hereby given that the county superintendent of Clatsop county will hold the regular examination of applicants for state and county papers at Astoria, Oregon, as follows:

FOR STATE PAPERS.

Commencing Wednesday, August 12, at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday, August 15, at 4 o'clock.

Wednesday— -Penmanship, history, spelling algebra, reading, school law.

Thursday, Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, book-keeping, physics, civil government.

Friday—Physiology, geography, mental arithmetic, composition, physical geography.

Saturday—Botany, plane geometry, general history, English literature, psychology.

FOR COUNTY PAPERS.

Commencing Wednesday, August 12, at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Friday, August 14, at 4 o'clock p. m.

First, second and third grade certificates.

Wednesday- —Penmanship, history, orthography, reading.

Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, physiology.

Friday—Geography, mental arithmetic, school law, civl government.

Primary certificates.

Wednesday — Penmanship, Orthography, reading, arithmetic.

Thursday—Art of questioning, theory of teaching and methods, physiology.

Yours truly,
J. H. ACKERMAN,
Superintendent of Public Instruction.

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Everybody enjoys good living but few like to see the bills come in, especially when they are larger than you believe they should be. Look into your buying and not only try to save on your expenses but get the best food for your table at the same time. We pride ourselves on keeping only the highest grade of delicacies for the table. Our preserves, dried fruit, sauces, canned specialties in meat, fish and vegetables cannot be excelled anywhere. We want you to look at our display in this line and we can ease your troubled mind as what to eat either for breakfast, dinner or lunch. FOARD & STOKES CO

JAPANESE GOODS.

New stock of fancy goods just arrived at Yokohama Bazaar. Call and see the latest novelties from Japan.

HATS TRIMMED FREE.

Mrs. R. Ingleton will continue her reduction sale of hats skirts, waists and ladies' and children's furnishing goods until October 1. Call and see the line. Also carry a complete line of hair switches and pompadours. Prices will suit you. MRS. R. INGLETON,
Welch Block.

Summer weight underwear $1 to $3 a suit at S. Danzinger & Co's.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Multnomah.

In the matter of the estate of Aikin Copeland, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to an order and decree of the above entitled court, made and entered on the 23rd day of July, 1903, in the above entitled matter, the undersigned Dan J. Moore, as administrator of said estate, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, all of lots 1, 2, 5, 6, 13 and 14 of block 129, Mary Ann Adair's South Addition to the Port of Upper Astoria, and Lot one (1) of Block 7, McClure's Astoria, and all of the frontage to Lot 1 of Block 7 McClure's Astoria properly appertaining and belonging thereto, all in Clatsop County, State of Oregon, at the wharf and dock situated upon said last mentioned property in the City of Astoria, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon of the 29th day of August, 1903.

Terms of sale cash in hand on the acceptance of bid. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. The bidder shall deposit at the time of making his bid, certified check or cash for ten per cent of the amount of his said bid and as in earnest for the performance thereof if said bid should be approved by the administrator and by said County Court. All rejected bidders will receive a return of deposit so made.

Dated 25th day of July, 1903
DAN J. MOORE,
Administrator.

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Ladies Attention

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We are pleased to announce to the ladies of Astoria and vicinity that we are able to show as fine a line of plain and decorated crockery and glassware as is to be found in the city. Every article will command your keenest inspection and is sold at prices not to be equaled elsewhere. When you want to buy crockery of any kind for dinner, luncheon, fish sets, tea sets, cutlery to match, be sure and see our line. It will please you. FOARD & STOKES CO.

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