

THE OLD RELIABLE



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CAUTION IS DESIRABLE

Mr. J. P. Morgan believes that there is no foundation for the talk of an impending business depression.

Hitherto we have had a great panic followed by a long stretch of hard times, about every 20 years with milder depressions about half way between.

The financial situation is certainly one that calls for caution. The enormous foreign credits that we piled up in a series of unheard of annual export balances have disappeared.

We have been converting floating into fixed capital at a rate that has raked our available resources clean.

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 Northwest 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.

Builds up the system, puts pure rich blood into the veins; makes men and women strong and healthy. Burdock Blood Bitters.

PLAYS TO LARGE AUDIENCES

ALLEN STOCK COMPANY WITH LITTLE VERNA FELTON, MAKES MANY NEW FRIENDS

Little Verna Felton, the child actress, won new friends at the opera house both on Sunday and last night.

Less than two months ago the Allen Stock Company played a successful engagement in Astoria, and on Sunday night a large audience greeted the members on their return.

Miss Ethel Roberts is a finished player. She was seen to especial advantage in the role of the adventureress. Reginald Barker is a quiet, pains taking actor, with which he combines a fine stage presence.

Little Verna Felton sings as well as she acts. One of her songs, "How Dey Do," was written for her by Charles E. Royal and Arden Allen.

Visitors attending the regatta, and others desiring photo work, should call at the "Up-to-date" studio before going elsewhere.

Due today. Oregon peaches, plums, apples, prunes, tomatoes, cauliflower, cabbage, cantaloupes, wax and string beans, and all other good fruit and vegetables in market.

MARINE NOTES

The schooner Virginia and the steam coaster Despatch, both lumber laden, left out Sunday for California.

The steam schooner Aurelia arrived in yesterday from California and proceeded up the river almost immediately. Her outgoing cargo will be lumber.

The coasting steamer George R. Vosburg came in yesterday from Tillamook with an unusually large passenger list and a great amount of freight.

The gasoline schooner Gerald C. returned yesterday from Siletz where she went on a cannery supply trip.

The O. R. & N. steamer Columbia, left for San Francisco Sunday morning.

The four masted schooner Ethel Zane went to sea Sunday with lumber for California.

THE START AND FINISH

She spent a fortnight sewing. Every morning, noon and night; She had to have the dresses— And they must be all right.

She got a yachting costume, And a toilet for the beach; A gown for gay receptions, With which she meant to teach

She spent a lot of money On things like that to wear, And mother couldn't stop her— But there were tears to spare

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THE LOUVRE Cor. 7th and Astor Streets. AUGUST ERICKSON, Proprietor. VICTOR LINDBECK, Manager

Camp Furniture Cots, Stools, Stoves, Cheap Mattresses and Everything for ...the Seaside... See Our New Line of Bed Room Suites

The Best Restaurant The Palace Cafe Regular Meals, 25 Cents Sunday Dinners a Specialty Everything the Market Affords

Pears'

The skin ought to be clear; there is nothing strange in a beautiful face. If we wash with proper soap, the skin will be open and clear, unless the health is bad.

The soap to use is Pears'; no free alkali in it. Pears', the soap that clears but not excoriates.

Four chairs at the Occident barber shop. No use to miss everything waiting for a shave. First-class artists and by the way, this is the place to get a bath.

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

FOR RENT. Furnished rooms, with or without board. 1414 Grand avenue.

A Model Kitchen Every Home Can Have One at a Very Small Cost. You would be astonished if told the prices that Foard & Stokes Co. is selling their famous cooking stoves and utensils at.

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

75-CENT GOLF SHIRTS. For 50 cents; men's striped and figured golf shirts, sizes 14 1/2 to 17, at Danziger's.

Office of C. Q. M., Vancouver Barracks, Wash., August 5, 1903. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received here until 11 a. m., September 4, 1903, and then opened for repairs to Hospital at Fort Stevens, Oregon.

Watermelons direct from the grower. JOHNSON BROS. DENSMORE TYPEWRITERS.

We sell, rent, and repair all makes of typewriters. Write for new catalogue of New Densmore. Huxley, Ryan & Co., 82 Fourth Street, Portland, Or.

To Look Well your blood must be pure to give your complexion that peculiar freshness which can only be obtained when your system is in good working order.

Beecham's Pills Sold Everywhere. In boxes 10c. and 25c. LOOK AT THIS

If Looking For Nice Dainty Things For Lunch We have them. Underwood's deviled ham, Libby's deviled ham, Libby's deviled chicken, Libby's deviled turkey, Libby's Melrose Pate, Libby's Veal Loaf, Libby's Potted Delicacies, Hammond's Lunch Tongue, French boneless Pickled Sardines, Underwood's Lobster, High Life Crab, Cooper's pure Olive Oil has no equal.

STILL IN THE LEAD Dainty eaters, people with hearty appetites theater parties, and all other parties find what they desire and some to appreciate at the Toke Point oyster house. The choicest viands in the market are there served in most pleasing style. Open all night. Private rooms.

New Today

Lost—A silver mounted walking cane with initial "C" on top. Dropped into the river through a hole at Griffin's corner on Commercial and Eleventh.

PIANO FOR RENT. For rent—A first-class piano. Address C. care Astorian office.

WANTED—Young man for store work call on P. Miller & Son.

We have received our last shipment of apricots for this season. Parties desiring to can this fruit should do so at once, as the season is about over.

32.00 straw hats for 75 cents at DANZIGER'S.

PALMS. 5-leaf 65c. 6-leaf 85c. 7-leaf \$1.00. Large \$5.00. Extra large \$12.00. 5-leaf fern \$2.00.

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Remember the Regatta Is due this month! It will be a great success but not greater than the success of the CARABANA, SYMPHONIE AND MANRARA BOQUET

THE WIGWAM Gus Brooks, Manager. Wines, Liquors and Cigars, Best in the Market.

ASK THE AGENT FOR TICKETS VIA GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY

Table with columns: Depart, TIME SCHEDULES, Arrive. Lists train routes between Portland and various cities like Chicago, Salt Lake, Denver, etc.

MEDICAL LAKE SOAP Says this up-to-date traveler to the bell-boy who answers his imperative summons: "I know of no small-sized hotel accessory that means more for the satisfaction of its guests than the Soap provided for them."