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BASEBALL!!

14th St. Astoria.

Mrs. Dr. W. C. Logan-

Skamokawa where he will spend a day

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Miller, of Washing-

guests of Dr and Mrs. R. J. Pilkington.

Fort Stevens

Commercial Club.

Today at 2:30 P. M.

A. F. C. Grounds

R. M. Gaston has added a complete

BASEBALL!!

PERSONAL MENTION.

George Fox, of Hood River, was in the

R. L. Oakley, of Eugene, visited in As-

Mrs. Vivian Hurburt, of Everett, is

H. T. Findley, of Portland, was in the

E. A. Hackett, of Portland, register-

Mrs. Dr. Jessie Brooks, of Silverton,

J. M. Creamer and wife, of Portland.

E. J. Mitchell, of Portland, was

F. J. Irvine, of Portland, was a pas-

senger down on yesterday's noon train.

the city, a guest of Mrs. Andrew B. Dal-

Miss Marie Cox, of Portland, is in

LODGE MEETINGS TONIGHT. Pocahontas, Katata council. Knights of Pythias. Astor lodge. Sons of Hermann. Teutonia lodge. Woodmen of the World. Women of Woodcraft,

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Young parrots for sale at Bond Street Market, 417 Bond Street.

Office rooms for rent. Geo. W. Barker, Astoria National Bank

Very few farmers were in the city at the Central yesterday. yesterday, most of them being occupied in the hay fields, at the Occident yesterday.

Max Young has commenced the construction of a new residence on his property in Upper Astoria.

S. S. Gordon, cashier of the First National Bank, was at his office yesterday, the first time since the accident.

Kodak Tank Developers, the latest Eastman product. No dark room required. From \$2.50 to \$5. New line of purses and hand bags at Frank Hart's drug store.

Real Estate Transfers.

Charles Hauge to Joseph Schamberger, lot 2, block 20, Alderbrook; \$5, H. G. Van Dusen and wife to Andrew Young, lot 8, block 9, McClure's \$1250

Owen Carr Dead.

Word was received in Astoria yesterday that Owen Carr, formerly a resident of this city, died in Portland yesterday, aged 89 years.

Just Arrived!

DELICIOUS, JUICY

Watermelons

The Delight of the

Little Folks The Rich and Palatable Dessert for grown folks They must be seen to be appreciated.

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Soliciting Committee Not Meeting With Proper Success.

SUBSCRIPTIONS ARE SMALL

Many Are Not Displaying Interest in Regatta Worthy of Enterprise. Soliciting Committee, However, is Sanguine and Hope For Great Success.

The soliciting committee appointed by the mass meeting Friday night to raise funds for the proposed regatta. N. H. Lundberg, of Frankfort, was in are not meeting with the success that tract will be awarded at the next meet N. H. Wilson, of Washington, is regthe proposition deserves. They have ing of the County court to repair cermade a canvass of the city and find tain portions of the road. Mrs. Clint, of McMinnville, is visthat a large number of the business men are willing to give their proportion, W. R. Powell was in Portland yesterbut they have encountered business men who usually reap the benefit, positive-J. McDonald, of Portland, registered by refusing to contribute one cent. This is particularly noticeable in the lower section of the city, which has contribu-J. M. Ward, of Portland, registered ed liberally therefore. They have formed an opinion that the regatta will be given in any event and they will reap the benefits without contributing. Another effort will be made Monday, and believe the conditions of the lumber marif the same disposition is made mani. ket warrant logging the land at present. fest, as seems apparent, the regatta will be called off. This is to be regretted. is particularly noticable in the lower It is a well known fact that after the a special meeting of the common counfishing season closes over one million cil some time this week for the purdollars will be paid out to the fishermen. If no regatta is held, these men will go hall building the balance due on their to Portland where attractions will be contracts. It would have been called offered and where they will spend their for tomorrow night, but there are no money. The result will be that all or lights in the new city hall, and the audmost all of the money paid out at the liter's office has been moved, making the end of the fishing season will betaken meeting inconvenient. If the lights are

Corsicanor, Tex., were in the city yes. fall and winter. Those who, through some imaginary J. C. McFadden, a prominent attor- or fancied grievance, think they are inney of Cathlamet, was in the city yea. juring the city by refusing to contribute, will find, in the end, that they will be Mrs. Bernard Lindenburger returned the ones to suffer most. Not only will yesterday from a visit with friends in they lose business, but the support of a considerable number who have been in Mrs. J. R. Cliston left for Eugene sympathy with them. If, without any during the past week and it is expectyesterday morning to attend the funeral exhibit at the Lewis and Clark fair. without any effort to advertise the re-Fred Fishel and Mrs. Fisher, of San sources of Clatsop county, and a refus-Francisco, are visiting Dr. and Mrs. al to contribute toward a regulta that would keep a million dollars at hom Charles K. Henry and wife, of Port- and bring other millions here, Astoria land passed through Astoria yesterday has not the enterprise to give a regatta, then the obstructionists will be the ones Misses Julia and Meta Foard, of San most injured. To them will be accredit-Francisco, are in the city the guests of ed the blame for the failure of the re

gatta. The business men of Astoria-have in John Minto, of Salem, who has been visiting with some of his relatives passed terested themselves in the project. They through the city yesterday en route have signified their willingnes to devote their time and put up a proportionate share of the money for the event, but W. K. Scott, foreman of the Astorian when men in other lines of business rejob department, departed last night for fuse to contribute, even their mite, it is no wonder that the committee have become discouraged.

It is certainly poor business policy ton, D. C., and Mr. Moore and wife, of Baltimore, are visiting in the city, the and poor pusiness judgement to not only refuse to contribute, but to antagonize the committee in their efforts. There has never been a more opportune time in the history of the city for holding a regatta. Thousands of Eastern people will visit Oregon this fall, many of whom would come to Astoria to witness the attractions that can not be furnished by the East or middle West. It would not only mean the bringing of a large number of people to Astoria, but the exstock of harness, collars and saddles to penditure of a large amount of money his implement and vehicle line at 105 of which every business man in Astoria. in whatever avocation he might be engaged, would reap a direct or indirect benefit. Astoria is peculiarly situated. A large proportion of the money paid out every month seeks the channels of trade which flow out of Astoria, with no resource to either retain or bring the money back. United efforts on the part of every business man, every citizen is required to maintain our commercial supremacy and provide adequate means for carrying on the business of the city. When the small minority refuse to contribute a few paltry dollars to bring thousands here in order that all may reap a benefit, it shows a wanton disposition of retaliation that will not meet with the approval even of the con-

servative element. When the word goes forth that Astoria has not the energy or the enterprise to give a regatta, at a place more adapted for such an event than any other city on the coast, the result will mifigate against the city and the obstructionists will be the first ones to suffer. One more effort will be given, and if not successful, there will be no regatta D. Mahone,

City Hall Lighting. The contract for lighting the new city-

ind the contractors ordered the necescary fixtures from Denver. Owing to ome changes, it was necessary to countermand the original order and substitute a new one, which has delayed the installation of the lighting plant. The contractors hope to have the lights in during the coming week.

INSPECT COUNTY ROADS.

County Judge Trenchard and Roadmas ter Frye on Tour of Inspection.

County Judge C. J. Trenchard and Roadmaster John Frye left yesterday morning on a tour of inspection of the county roads in the vicinity of Olney. A county roed has been recently constructed to the Young's river falls, and work is being done on road No. 77, and many improvements are required on the road which was brought to the attention of the county court. An effort will be made to repair the worst places in the road in order to give the farmto market. It is probable that a con-

DOES NOT WARRANT LOGGING.

W. W. Boman Inspects Holdings Be-

tween Olney and Nehalem. W. W. Boman, representing a Pennsylvania syndicate which purchased about 5000 acres of land between Olney and the Nehalem, has been in the city the last two days and inspected the land belonging to the company. He does not

Special Meeting. Mayor Surprenant will probably call pose paying the contractors on the city S. A. Pace and Homer E. Pace, of to Portland and Astoria will suffer this installed the first of this week, the meeting will be called.

Commercial vs. Fort Stevens.

A game of ball has been arranged for this afternoon on the recreation grounds between the Commercial nine of this eity and a nine from Fort Stevens. The Commercial nine has been strengthened ed that a good game will be put up.

CHURCH NOTICES

Presbyterian.

Rev. W. H. Layson, L. L. D., pastor. Services today at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday school at 12:15 P. M., and Christian Endeavor at 7 P. M. At the Wednesday evening services the pastor will describe the environs of Jerusalem, Mount of Olives, Gethsemane, and Bethany. All are invited. Candidates for church membership should present themselves at the Wednesday evening services today at 10:45 A. M. anytime before communion which is the first Sunday in August.

First M. E. Church.

At 11 A. M. Rev. W. B. Hollingshead will preach. Following this communion service. Sunday school at 12:15. Epworth League at 7 P. M.; subject, "Preparing for Our Heavenly Home." Preaching at 8 P. M. by the pastor. Subject, "The Hole in the Heavens." Everybody invited to all services.

First Lutheran.

Services as usual today, preaching at both morning and evening services by the pastor, Gustaf E. Rydquist. The topic for morning sermon will be "Decisive Moments;" for the evening, "The Value of Christ and Salvation." Evening services always in English. Everyone cordially invited.

Baptist Church,

Will be open for all at the usual services today The pastor preaching in the morning and Prof. S. K. Dieble of McMinnville in the evening. Come

Grace Church,

Services at Grace church today at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. and afternoon service at Holy Innocents' Chapel in the upper town at 3:30.

Rev. D. Mikoff, of San Francisco, arrived in the city last night and will preach today in the First Congregational church at 11 A. M., and at 8 P. M. Dr. Wikoff is a strong preacher and one of the representative men of the Congregational denomination. He will spend some few days here during the coming week, the guest of the pastor, Rev. L.

Electric Face Massage and Scalp treatment; five expert barbers. Baths. sall was awarded over a mouth ago OCCIDENT HOTEL BARBER SHOP.

What Other Cities Do.

In its issue of May 5, 1905, The Oakand Herald, said among other things "The Science of Modern Business Building" was the theme of an interesting and instructive lecture delivered last evening by A. F. Sheldon, president of the Sheldon School of Scientific Salesmanship, of Chicago, at the common school assembly hall.

The seed sown by the speaker is destined to bring forth fruit. As a result School of Scientific Salesmanship, Chiof the talk President A. Jonas of the Merchants' Exchange, will issue a call for a special meeting of that body next Tuesday evening in the exchange's room in the Central bank building.

Owners of large dry goods houses and department stores are to be especially invited to attend, the object being to ascertain if an organization can not be effected similar to the one formed in San Francisco by such houses as Nathan-Dohrmann, Ha'e Brothers, Weinstock & Lubin, R. D. Pavis, The Owl Drug Comers an opportunity to get their produce pany, the Mutual Lithographing Company, and others,"

Mr. Sheldon will speak here at Fourd & Stokes' hall tomorrow evening and his subject will be "The Science of Business Getting and Business Building." See announcement on another page,

Completely Snowed Under.

"It pays to advertise," is an old and true saying, but the fact was never so clearly demonstrated in Astoria as yesterday at The Foard & Stokes Company's embroidery sale. Never, we believe in the history of Astoria was there such a crowd in attendance at a store. It is only a little more than a year ago that this well-known firm embarked into the dry goods business and since that time they have come rapidly to the front. The writer, during an interview with a member of the firm, asked to what he attributed most of the success of this new department. His answer was: Firstly, the quality of merchandise they handle; secondly, their buying direct from manufacturers, thus insuring lower prices to the purchaser; and, thirdly, their advertising.

The firm is one of the Morning Astorian's best advertisers, andthey always etc. see to it that the merchandise advertised is exactly as represented. Their success is not surprising.

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TO MERCHANTS, PACKERS etc., etc., and to the CLERES AND SALESMEN OF THIS CITY.

To the Chamber of Commerce, Clubs, etc. You are cordially invited to be present

Foard & Stokes' Hall -Monday, July 24, at 8 P. M .--A. F. SHELDON,

President and founder of the Sheldon cago, will deliver an address on

THE SCIENCE OF BUSINESS-GET-TING AND BUSINESS BUILDING.

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To the members of the Retail Clerks' Union, City:-You are requested to be present Monday evening, to hear the address of Mr. Sheldon, and you should urge your employers to come and bring all of their clerks and salesmen to hear this eminent speaker, whose address will prove of great interest to all who look for business improvement by legitimate

Any adult person, lady or gentleman, who hopes for progress of communities and their commercial interests, is an interested party and should come. Merchants, by their presence, will encourage this movement of the clerks to make better employes of themselves.

RETAIL CLERKS' UNION, A. W. BENNEST. C. E. GRAY,

-ROOM FOR 1000 PEOPLE. --ROOM FOR 1000 PEOPLE. --ROOM FOR 1000 PEOPLE. -

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Send postal card to my address and I will call with ready cash. A. JALOFF, 405 Bond street, Astoria.

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Complete House Furnishers.

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The Latest Eastern Craze

Suitable for Indoor and Outdoor Wear and of a quality and style that will make wearing them a pleasure,

Children's Moccasin Slippers 75c and 90c Youth's and Misses' Moccasin Slippers 90c and \$1.25 Young Men's and Young Ladies' Moccasin Slippers \$1.50 For Men and Women we have them at \$1.75

The Children's Slippers are made out of one piece with soft soles, or with separate heavier leather soles. All slippers are flexible and are dainty in appearance. Come in and see them. No trouble to show the styles, Just ask to see them.

A shoe to fit, And a shoe to wear Must be selected With taste and care

