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WEDDING ON THE HIGH SEA

News of the Day on the Piers and Slips of Astoria--Vessels Both Ways Over the Great Bar--Bay and River Steamers--Note and Comment.

When the steamer Sue H. Elmore, under command of Captain Schrader leaves port this morning for Tillamook Bay, she will have on board a couple of young Oregonians, from Oregon City, who are cousins and lovers and who propose to take on the nearer and dearer ties of husband and wife, a privilege denied by the statutes of Oregon to youngsters of that phase of consanguinity, so Mr. Henry M. Miller, a machinist employed by the Willamette Pulp & Paper Company, at Oregon City, and Miss Lella Miller of the same city, his cousin, sweetheart and fiancée, will evade the code of their native state and become man and wife under the broader aegis of international law that holds its impartial jurisdiction three miles out from the shore limits of the Oregon and every other coast in the world. They will be married by Captain Schrader, upon the high Pacific seas, sometime after 6 o'clock this morning, and will take a honey-moon trip to their valley home via Tillamook City and intervening points; and they do say Captain Schrader is making due and pertinent preparations for the solemn yet happy event, and brushing up his sacerdotal reading in order to dispense the high functions of his office as master of ceremonies in credit.

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Our store arrangement of goods is complete although we have much more to get ready than ever before. Come early and we will be able to give you much better attention than the "day before" Xmas. In our windows this week Calendars, Games, Toy Books and Framed Pictures--EVENINGS ONLY--we display fancy Brass, Glass and Metal Ware--Evenings only.

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able shape. Well! here's to 'em. The pretty bride, the manly groom, the stalwart captain and the good ship Sue H. Elmore, may they have immunity from sea sickness, never get over their love sickness, voyage straight and land safely, now and hereafter!

Off the Rocks.

New York, Dec. 15.--The steamship Angola, which recently went ashore near Moro Castle, was pulled off the rocks last night, says a cable dispatch to the Herald from Havana. She is now anchored in the bay, awaiting docking facilities.

Larkins En Deshabille.

Captain Larkins, of the steamer Lurline, was aroused out of a sound sleep yesterday morning by a fire alarm, and took his station in the pilot-house with nothing more about his form than a fleece-lined suit of woolen underwear. He was in his bare feet and the chilly atmosphere kept him dancing the sailor's hornpipe while Government Steamboat Inspectors Edwards and Fuller put the vessel through a fire drill.

At 6:30 o'clock this morning the inspectors stole stealthily down the darkened wharves and jumped on the boat. All members of the crew were ashore with freight when Captain Edwards mounted the hurricane deck and gave the signal for a fire drill. The sailors rushed pell-mell for the steamer and took their stations at the fire apparatus and the boats. Clang! went the bell and the boats were swung into the river with a celerity and precision that pleased the inspectors.

Captain Larkins was the only one asleep. He clambered out of his berth and remained at his station, gave orders and directed the maneuver just as he would have done had he been fitted out in his blue uniform and gold lace.

In spite of the unexpected manner in which the men on the Lurline were called to the drill, they showed better discipline and behavior than has been noticed in any previous inspection of the year.

After it was all over the sailors went through some of their antics for the benefit of the inspectors, "Just to show 'em we ain't so bloomin' slow as they thinks," as one "tar" put it.--Telegram.

FLOTSAM AND JETSAM

The steamer Blackheath is due down from Portland this morning, bound for Far Cathay, otherwise China.

The German ship Tarpenbeck made it to sea yesterday, from the lower harbor.

The schooner Gleaner is now the only bottom loading at Knappton mills. She has been there since Tuesday last.

The schooner Admiral, now anchored in the city channel will leave up for Westport some time today, under tow.

A four-masted bark, presumed to be the Aisie, flying the French flag was hovering off the bar yesterday evening.

The British ship Kynance is due down from Portland this morning loaded for Europe with grainstuffs.

The steamer Daisy Mitchell is due down from Portland, en route to San Francisco, early this morning.

The British ship St. Mungo, Captain Buchan crossed in over the Columbia bar, from Guaymas, Mexico, yesterday afternoon late.

The motor schooner Della, Captain Jensen, arrived in from Nestucca yesterday with 700 cases of cheese and salmon and several tons of hides.

The Gerald C., is bar bound at New Astoria and has been for two days. She will make it out for Nestucca and Tillamook Bay today.

The steamer Casades was on her way down the river last night and should

leave this port early this morning for the Bay City.

The British ship Dunboyne is en route down the river and should be here this morning, outward bound for Europe with breadstuffs.

The Russian bark Isobel Browne, Captain Dormer, from Guaymas, Mexico, in ballast, for Portland, arrived in over the bar yesterday evening.

The fine oil-tank steamer Argyle was a noon arrival from Port Harford, California, yesterday. She went on to the metropolis without delay.

The steamship Costa Rica should be in from San Francisco early this morning. She is never very far behind the Senator.

Another four-masted schooner was off the Columbia bar last evening at sundown. She is supposed to be the Robert H. Hind, from San Pedro, but there is no certainty as to her identity.

The steamship Senator came in from the California metropolis yesterday morning and after delivering some local freight at the O. R. & N. pier, left up for Portland at 11:10 o'clock.

The steamer Redondo came in from San Francisco yesterday afternoon, making the remarkably fast time of 46 hours and 30 minutes from the Mission street wharf there to the Elmore dock here. She had a cabin list of 26 people.

The revenue cutter Commodore Perry will go to Portland this morning, where her boilers will be blown out and overhauled under the supervision of her new chief engineer, C. H. Foote, who has arrived here from New York and reported for duty.

The French bark Michelet, Captain Yonteau, 178 days out from Greenock, crossed the Columbia bar yesterday afternoon, with all well on board and a long but uneventful passage. She is under Portland charter to load wheat for European delivery.

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- A. D. Arper, Seattle.
- T. L. Fraser, Ilwaco.
- Henry Fuller, Pt. Roberts.
- C. J. Peterson, Bay Center.
- Geo. Hibbert, Chinook.
- Ames Smith and wife, Portland.
- G. T. Taylor, Portland.

SERVICES, GRACE CHURCH.

Sunday services will be held at Grace Episcopal church, as usual at 11 o'clock a. m., and 7:30 o'clock in the evening. Sunday school at 12:30 p. m. Services at Holy Innocents chapel at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

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HEALTHY CONDITION

Annual School Report is Very Interesting.

PRESENTED NEXT WEEK

School Clerk Ferguson Has the Report of the Financial Condition of the Astoria School District Completed and Surplus in the Treasury.

A report showing the financial condition of the Astoria school district will be presented next week at the annual meeting of the school board by School Clerk Ferguson. Mr. Ferguson has already prepared the report and as the figures which show the excellent financial standing of the schools, may prove interesting the report is appended below.

| Receipts. | |
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| Cash on hand, December 1, 1904 | \$ 4,662.89 |
| From county treasurers acct levy of 8 mills | 14,330.84 |
| From county treasurer's acct delinquent taxes | 1,003.88 |
| From county superintendent acct, state appt fund | 5,365.60 |
| From county supt acct county apptmt 1904 roll | 16,088.02 |
| From county supt acct co. Appt taxes, 1903 timber lands | 1,425.60 |
| From county, old rolls | 30.63 |
| From county tuition | 68.65 |
| From bills payable | 4,000.00 |
| From damage to furniture Adair's | .75 |
| Total | \$46,996.86 |

| Cash Disbursements. | |
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| Paid by warrant, supplies, expenses, wood, election and water | \$ 3,663.42 |
| Paid by warrant Shively school repair and painting | 820.59 |
| Paid by warrant Olney school repair and painting | 15.98 |
| Paid by warrant Taylor school and addition | 1,601.11 |
| Paid by warrant Alderbrook school repair | 365.20 |
| Paid by warrant McClure school repair | 165.24 |
| Paid by warrant Adair school repair | 75.00 |
| Paid by warrant superintendent's salary | 375.00 |
| Paid by warrant clerk's salary | 600.00 |
| Paid by teacher's salary | 19,640.64 |
| Paid by janitor's salary | 2,222.50 |
| Paid by warrant bond interest | 3,720.00 |
| Paid by interest account | 38.89 |
| Paid by warrants bills payable | 4,000.00 |
| Paid warrants outstanding Dec. 1st, 1904 | 389.00 |
| Total | \$37,692.47 |
| Receipts | \$46,996.86 |
| Cash | \$ 9,304.39 |

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| Balance cash on hand, Dec. 1st, 1905 | \$ 9,904.39 |
| Warrants drawn and outstanding Dec. 1, 1905 | 354.80 |
| Old warrants outstanding | 2.90 |
| Balance | \$ 8,946.69 |

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