

MARINEME MORANDA

Steamer Aurelia On the Beach Being Pumped Out.

IVERNA SECURED CHARTER

Shipping News From Knappton—Czarina and Coaster Leave Out for San Francisco—Columbia Due Tomorrow.

The British bark Iverna, Captain Collingwood, has been chartered to load grain for Europe, and cleared from this port for Portland yesterday. She will go up-stream on the first hawser that presents itself today. The particulars of her charter were not obtainable here yesterday, but there are lots of people here glad to hear she has secured it, and that her jolly master may have all manner of good luck on his new cruise.

On Sunday afternoon Captain Jordan of the Callender steamer Melville, took the water-logged steamer Aurelia from her moorings at the Elmore pier and beached her on the flats just east of the O. R. & N. dock; last night the Melville went alongside and pumped her dry, and such repairs as are needed will be made, and the steamer put in shape to receive her lumber cargo and pursue her voyage to San Francisco.

The schooner Marconi is now loading at the Columbia mills at Knappton and the schooner Churchill is already loaded and will get dispatch for San Francisco at an early hour as possible. The steamer Redondo is due there for her next load of lumber out of these waters, and is expected hourly.

The riggers are through with their work on the stranded bark Galena, and the ship is snug and safe, with anchors out, and everything ready for the coming season, as a rare resort for the sight-seers of the northwest.

The bids called for on the purchase of the wreck of the British bark Peter Iredale, which have been received at the office of Vice Consul P. L. Cherry, up to yesterday, will not be opened until this morning.

Harry Blanchard, purser of the Hassalo, who has been absent on a two weeks' vacation, has returned to duty and is now on the Potter, which is on the Hassalo run for a brief season.

The Norwegian tramp steamship Jethou, with an immense cargo of lumber, will be down and go to sea and to China this morning. She has 3,500,000 feet aboard.

The French ship Marechal de Castries was among the sea-going craft yesterday.

The steamer Coaster was among the down-river arrivals yesterday morning and she went to sea and San Francisco without losing an hour.

The steamer F. A. Kilburn came down from Portland on Sunday and went to sea and San Francisco without delay. She had 71 people on board and a good manifest of freight.

The Pilot schooner Joseph Pulitzer will get to sea this morning and take up her work of furnishing "chair-warmers" for the ships desiring entrance to this port.

The steamship Costa Rica arrived down last evening at 3 o'clock, from Portland on her way to San Francisco. She will go to sea this morning.

The steamship Columbia will be at her berth at the O. R. & N. docks sometime tomorrow, having left the Bay City on Monday morning last.

The French bark Noemi, Captain Schaffer, was on the towlines of the steamer Oklahoma last Sunday, when the latter went to Portland.

The steamer Czarina came down from the metropolis yesterday morning early and went over the bar, San Francisco-ward, at once.

The French bark Bayard, Captain Poivet, left up for Portland, on the hawsers of the Harvest Queen on Sunday last.

There is quite a fleet of vessels fog-bound up the river, bound for this port, and all will be down this morning.

Taylor Company—The Taylor Comedy Company opened at the Star last evening to a packed house. The play, "The Light House by the Sea," was out of the ordinary, and something never before seen in Astoria, and its appreciation was attested by enthusiastic applause. The company is one of the best that has ever appeared in this city. The leading characters are well supported by an evenly balanced company, each playing his or her part to perfection. The Taylor company comes direct from the Third Avenue Theater of Seattle, and is considered par excellence. "The Light House by the Sea" will be presented tonight and tomorrow night, and on Thursday night the new comedy, "Woman Against Woman" will be presented. Both plays are entirely new in Astoria and have made the Taylor company famous in Seattle. Judging from the performance last evening and the crowded house, the Star will have a banner week and the company will play to crowded houses every night.

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DEATH OF ROY SIMPSON.

Crushed by a Load of Lumber in South Bend Mills.

On Wednesday afternoon at about 5 o'clock, Roy Simpson met with an accident which resulted in his death at twenty minutes past ten the next morning.

Roy was at work on the pipe lines about the South Bend Mills & Timber company's mill, but was out of work Wednesday afternoon and was told to take a horse and truck and haul lumber away from the mill in place of the regular driver, who was temporarily absent. He had loaded his truck in the lower part of the mill and had started for the yards with it when suddenly the horse was started by some unusual noise in the mill overhead and started to run. The truck load of lumber slewed violently around, striking Roy's face and crushing it against one of the mill posts. His lower jaw was broken in five places and the upper bones of the face horribly crushed and the base of the skull fractured. He was taken at once to the Gruwell hospital in an unconscious condition, and everything possible done for him. Thursday morning he recovered consciousness for a short time and conversed with his brother, Thomas, whom he recognized. His vitality was too nearly exhausted to rally from the effects of the terrible accident, however, and he sank again into unconsciousness and died shortly after. The rumor that he died under the influence of chloroform was incorrect. —Willapa Harbor Pilot.

Registrations—Ten more voters were added to the registration list at Auditor Anderson's office yesterday, bringing the total up to about 869. This is about half of the votes of the city. The registration books close next Friday at 4 o'clock p. m., and those desiring to vote at the city election must register. To accommodate all who cannot call in the day time, Auditor Anderson announces that he will keep his office open Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights of this week from 7 to 9 o'clock.

Election of Officers—Astoria Aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles, held their annual election of officers Sunday afternoon at their lodge room. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, C. E. Linton; vice president, Harvey Goodall; secretary, C. E. Foster; treasurer, C. S. Wright; inner guard, P. Kearney; outer guard, Chas. Wesche; trustees, James Hannaford, C. F. Wise and Al Seafeld. The lodge is in splendid condition, both financially and numerically and increasing in membership.

Lunden Funeral—The funeral of the late William Lunden, who was drowned in the vicinity of Blind Slough last week, was held from the A. O. U. W. hall on Ninth street, under the auspices of Seaside lodge A. O. U. W., of which the deceased was a member. The interment was at Greenwood.

Death Rate—There was a decrease of fifty per cent in the death rate of Clatsop county during the month of November over the corresponding month of last year. Twelve deaths are reported for November, five of which were accidental and one murder. Last November there were twenty-four deaths.

Start for Home—William Ross has received a letter from his brother, J. T. Ross, from Mexico, where he went a month ago on account of the health of his son, in which he states that he will return home within a few days, and that his son, Thornburn, has practically recovered his health.

Stole Money—District Attorney Harrison Allen was notified yesterday that a young girl had been arrested at Seaside for the larceny of \$376 from Mrs. Troutdale, and a complaint had been filed in the justice court. Deputy District Attorney Abercrombie will go to Seaside this morning to prosecute the case.

Left for California—John N. Griffin, formerly in the book business in Astoria, left yesterday for Redlands, Calif., where his family are residing. Mr. Griffin stated to an Astorian representative, that he contemplated returning to Astoria next summer and engaging in business.

Water Mains—Contractor Lebeck will commence work this morning driving the piling for the new trestle work for the pipe line mains on Jerome avenue near 14th street. The contract was awarded him by the water commission.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Rineard Reirson of Elsie arrived in the city yesterday and will leave out for home this morning.

Miss McClellan of Kelso arrived in the city Sunday and is visiting with Mrs. W. C. A. Pohl.

Mrs. David Tweddle of Mishawake arrived in the city last evening to do some Christmas shopping.

Dr. Ball and family have returned from a visit with friends in Albany.

S. S. Jefferies of Hillsboro arrived down on the noon train yesterday.

W. A. Sheldon of Seattle was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Roscoe L. Fisher of Spokane, arrived down on the noon train yesterday.

Mrs. J. G. Rierson of Elsie is visiting friends in Astoria.

H. E. Bennett of Knappton was a visitor in the city yesterday.

J. J. Brunbach, recently elected county attorney of Pacific county, came over from Ilwaco yesterday.

Oswald West, state land agent, is visiting friends in Astoria.

Ralph Jones of Elsie arrived in the city yesterday on a business trip.

F. C. McGraw of Svensen was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Perry Titus, a prominent farmer of Fernhill, was in the city yesterday.

Paul Vedder of Nehalem arrived in the city yesterday on a business trip.

Lecture Well Attended—The lecture on electricity given under the auspices of the Young Men's League at the First Presbyterian church last night was well attended. Welborn, the man advertised to deliver the lecture, was unable to come, but Prof. L. E. Williams was substituted and the house was crowded and every one expressed themselves as well satisfied.

DANGER IN ASKING ADVICE.

When you have a cough or a cold do not ask some one what is good for them, as there is danger in taking some unknown preparations, Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs, colds and prevents pneumonia. The genuine is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. T. F. Laurin.

Pile Driver Sold—J. A. Pasteband has purchased the pile driver used by Dill & Young and will take it to Westport, to be used in the construction of logging roads.

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SEASIDE ELECTION.

Independent-Citizens Ticket Takes the Whole Loaf.

A telephone message from the Astorian correspondent at Seaside at 3:30 o'clock last night, brought the intelligence that the Independent-Citizens ticket had been successful from top to bottom, the majorities being ample enough to preclude all possible doubt.

The municipal roster of Seaside will be as follows:
Mayor—A. E. Miller.
Recorder—W. E. Burke.
Treasurer—Hensinger.
R. R. Cole, councilman-at-large.
Howard F. Leighton, councilman, first ward.
E. J. Boyle, councilman, second ward.
J. A. McIntyre, councilman, second ward.

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