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We have many great bargains in trimmed hats. One lot of trimmed hats \$1.98 each.

**WATERFRONT ITEMS
YESTERDAY**

**FOG ALARM OPERATED BY
COMPRESSED AIR ESTABLISHED OFF OF VANCOUVER ISLAND.**

The Department of Marine & Fisheries of the Dominion of Canada has notified the Hydrographic Office, Portland, Ore., of the establishment of a fog alarm, operated by compressed air at the Cape Beale light station, west coast of Vancouver Island. The diaphone will blow 4 seconds every 9 seconds during thick weather.

The British bark Kelburn cleared yesterday with 880,000 feet of lumber to Cardiff. She went to Tongue Point to finish her loading before departing.

The British steamer Guernsey went to the wharf at the Hume mill yesterday, where she will take on about 2,000,000 feet of lumber for the far east.

The steamer Sue H. Elmore left yesterday morning for Tillamook with passengers and freight.

The steam schooner Cascade arrived in from California and will take a load of railroad ties at St. Helens.

The steam schooner Washington went to sea yesterday with lumber for California ports.

The schooner J. Olson arrived in yesterday from San Francisco.

The gasoline launch Della arrived

TEA

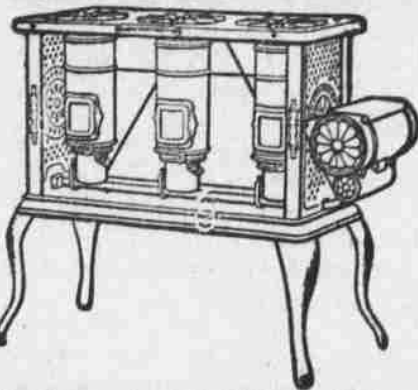
You will find no poor tea in packages bearing our name. If you find any such, you know what to do.

Your grocer returns your money if you don't like Schilling's Best; we pay him.

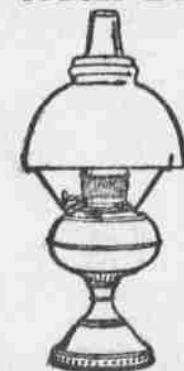
Why Overheat Yourself?

Much of your summer pleasure depends upon having a cool and comfortable kitchen. Why not be prepared for hot days before they come? Ask your dealer to show the New Perfection Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove. It's a wonder.

Does the work of your big range in every particular, but has this great advantage over it, that it never heats the kitchen. The



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**JAPAN'S FINANCES
CAUSE ALARM**

RETURNING CONSULAR OFFICIAL SAYS MONETARY CONDITIONS THERE ARE IN BAD SHAPE.

"Japan is really in a difficult financial situation, a situation that may properly be characterized as alarming," said a gentleman who arrived at the Astoria docks from the quarantined transport Sherman last evening. "Perhaps it would not be saying too much to state that the Nipponese government is on the verge of national bankruptcy. The finances of the country seems to be tottering to a fall."

The speaker has been in the consular service at Nasagaki for many years. He wished that his name might not appear in an interview because of his official position.

"So eager is the government to secure funds, even in small amounts, that it is paying 6 per cent on its bonds," he continued.

Asked what was the real sentiment of the Japanese people towards the Americans, he replied: "Upon the whole it was and is friendly enough, though there is no question but that the Japanese people have resented the attitude taken by California and San Francisco in the troubles there, and especially do they resent the proposed legislation to keep all coolie labor out of the States. Since the Russian war, the Japanese people have grown to have a wonderfully good opinion of themselves, and are disposed to bitterly resent anything that reflects in any way on their nation."

was shown, heretofore reported carried away and the light extinguished, was rebuilt and the light relighted April 14.

The following affects the List of Lights, Buoys, and Daymarks, Pacific Coast, 1908:

Yaquina Bay Entrance, page 53.—Channel Rock Buoy, O, a red 2d-class nun, heretofore reported adrift, was replaced June 1.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Raphael Bonham and her guest, Mrs. Nelson Rooney, leave for Portland on this morning's train.

W. H. Holmes Jr., of Salem, is in the city.

F. N. Clark and his sister, Miss Verona McGowan, of Portland, are in the city. Miss McGowan will probably remain for several weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Clark.

F. F. Toews, of the Hazelwood Dairy interests of Portland, is in Astoria on a business errand.

Mrs. A. Swanson has returned from Portland where she has been for the past two weeks visiting with friends.

J. W. Casey, a resident of Portland, is a visitor in the city stopping at the Occident.

J. H. O'Neill is in the city registered at the Occident.

B. Veal from Albany was a visitor in the city yesterday.

J. H. Bevans from Seattle was in the city yesterday.

F. L. Evans is in the city from Salem registered at the Occident.

Chas. W. Wapish of Portland is at the Occident.

Mrs. L. H. Fritz from Seaside is in the city registered at the Occident.

L. Bratton from Portland was a visitor in the city yesterday.

H. B. Clark is registered at the Occident and is from Portland.

Y. J. Williams, a resident of Chicago, is stopping at the Occident.

Mrs. J. C. Dolan is at the Occident.

W. H. Hendricks is registered at the Occident.

DONE BY DEED

Walter C. Smith and wife to F. I. Shouler, lot 6, in block 2, The Plaza, and lot 7 in block 89, Warrenton Park; \$225.

Walter C. Smith and wife to O. A. Weaver, lots 1 and 2 in block 31, and lot 12, block 7, The Plaza; \$775.

George Noland and wife to Hans Melby, lots 25 to 37 in block 4, town of Long Branch; \$600.

R. E. Bryan and wife to Hawley Pulp & Paper Co., 1101.05 acres in township 6; \$12,000.

Michael J. Cannon to Astoria Abstract, Title & Trust Co., all of NE. 1-4 of S. 7, T. 7; \$100.

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**HARSH WORDS FOR
THE STEWARDS**

IT WAS TIP, TIP, TIP ALL THE TIME ON THE TRANSPORT SHERMAN, OR NO MEALS—

"Our delight in being permitted to leave the Sherman can hardly be expressed in words," in the ways one of the ladies from the quarantined transport expressed it yesterday afternoon. "It was so cold over there on the north side of the river, and besides, we were so badly crowded. And then, you know the meals—"

"But everything pales into absolute insignificance besides the question of the tips," broke in a masculine voice that came from a figure of soldierly bearing. "It's tip, tip, tip all the time. Tip, or get nothing to eat; tip, or have no towels; tip, or have a life a burden to you. The waiters were the worst set of cool, calculating, cruel, scoundrelly robbers that ever I ran into. Dear Lord, if some of them would only enter the service and get into my command. Without the slightest exaggeration I may say that if you didn't tip at supper time you simply could not get breakfast."

There seems to be little question that the tipping on the transport is more than a mere vexatious matter. So aggravating did it become, according to several of the civilian passengers, that it was looked upon as merely outrageous. The fact that even the officers of the army and navy who were making the trip on leave on the Sherman were subjected to and were compelled to give in to the organized demands of the waiters, goes to show that resistance was hardly possible.

The tipping evil in this aggravated form probably is possible on the transport Sherman because of the peculiar conditions that obtain on the vessel. Civilians and discharged soldiers and others who have been in the government service in the insular possessions for a certain number of years, are permitted to come home on the transport free of charge, except that a certain payment is required for the meals. The waiters are an independent lot and may leave the ship at the first port. If a complaint is to be made, there seems no one to complain to that has any real authority over the waiters, and hence arises the trouble. The above is the story of the suffering passengers; the waiters' side of the story has not been heard as yet.

AWAIT ATTACK.

Defense of New York Keep on the Lookout For Mimic Enemy.

NEW YORK, June 17.—Searchlights played over the lower bay last night from Forts Wadsworth and Hamilton, while national guardsmen and regulars engaged in the defense of New York against a mimic enemy were on guard, ready at the first news from Sandy Hook to man the batteries of huge guns and blow the invading fleet out of the water as soon as it got within range. Infantrymen at the same time patrolled the outpost to protect the forts from attacks in the rear, which were expected about the time the battle with the fleets began.

After the evening parade the guards were doubled at both forts and actual military conditions prevailed. None save the men in uniform could gain admission to either encampment without passes. The searchlights were

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**Hildebrand & Gor
Old Bee Hive Bldg.**

flashing over the narrows from both forts and every craft between forts and Sandy Hook was brought out into clear relief. The men behind the searchlights were taking no chances of being surprised by the enemy for lack of illumination.

All night the lights flashed over the bay and the soldiers, both professional and amateur, slept lightly, ready to jump to their places at the first alarm. But the night passed quietly and daylight came without the "enemy" having put in an appearance. It is almost certain now that the attack will be made tonight.



After suffering for seven years, this woman was restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Read her letter.

Mrs. Sallie French, of Paucanua, Ind. Ter., writes to Mrs. Pinkham: "I had female troubles for seven years—was all run-down, and so nervous I could not do anything. The doctors treated me for different troubles but did me no good. While in this condition I wrote to Mrs. Pinkham for advice and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I am now strong and well."

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For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has positively cured thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness, or nervous prostration. Why don't you try it?

Don't hesitate to write to Mrs. Pinkham if there is anything about your sickness you do not understand. She will treat your letter in confidence and advise you free. No woman ever regretted writing her, and because of her vast experience she has helped thousands. Address, Lynn, Mass.

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GOOD WOOD. If you want a good load of fir wood or box wood ring up **KELLY the WOOD DEALER**, The man who keeps the **PRICES DOWN**. Phone Main 2191—Barn, Cor. 12th and Duane.

LADY MANICURIST ENGAGED. "The Modern," A. E. Petersen's beautiful tonsorial establishment, has been further modernized by the permanent engagement of a highly trained young lady manicurist, who will also serve the house as cashier.

The very best board to be obtained in the city is at "The Occident Hotel." Rates very reasonable.

The Palace Restaurant.

Any phase of hunger can be daintily gratified at any hour of the day or night at the Palace Restaurant. The kitchen and dining room service are of the positive best. Private dining rooms for ladies. One call inspires regular custom. Try it. Commercial street, opposite Page building.

The Commercial.

One of the coziest and most popular resorts in the city is the Commercial. A new billiard room, a pleasant sitting room and handsome fixtures all go to make an agreeable meeting place for gentlemen, there to discuss the topics of the day, play a game of billiards and enjoy the best refreshments served there. The line of goods are only handled, and this fact being so well known, a large business is done at the Commercial, on Commercial street, near Eleventh.

New Grocery Store.

Try our own mixture of coffee—the J. P. B. Fresh fruit and vegetables. Badollet & Co., grocers. Phone Main 1281.

The Clean Man.

The man who delights in personal cleanliness, and enjoys his shave, shampoo, haircut, and bath, in Astoria, always goes to the Occident barber shop for these things—and gets them at their best.

FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD.

I will pay the sum of \$50 to whomsoever shall recover and deliver the dead body of my son, Vernon Elbon, supposed to have been drowned in the Columbia river on Saturday, May 30th, last.

J. E. ELBON.