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The fine steamship Rose City arrived in port yesterday morning and docked at the O. R. & N. piers at 11:30 exactly.

The French ship Desaix, Captain Chateavieau, arrived down yesterday morning on the hawsers of the Ocklahama and went to an anchorage off the Tongue...

The steamship Breakwater made it in from Coos in good season on Sunday morning, and after a brief stay at the O. R. & N. docks, went on up the river.

The Astoria-Tillamook-Portland liner Sue H. Elmore went to sea on Sunday morning, with all the business she could take care of, bound for Tillamook Bay points.

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WHITMAN'S BOOK STORE

The Hammond tug Lottie met with a mishap yesterday about noon, some of her machinery going back on her, up in the neighborhood of the Hammond Lumber Company's docks...

The four-masted schooner Andy Mahoney entered port yesterday morning under her own canvas and came to an anchor in the city channel off the Callender dock.

The Russian ship Dundee, Captain Gustafson, from Callao, Peru, arrived in port yesterday, in ballast and will go direct to the Columbia mills at Knapperton to load lumber out for English delivery.

The voyage of the launch Requa has been abandoned for the time being and she will not go to San Francisco until later in the season...

The Standard Oil liner Atlas came into port on Sunday morning last and went on up stream with her cargo of liquid fuel.

The Alliance made her regular get-away from this port on Sunday morning for the Coos country, with good business on all decks.

The oil tank steamship Washtenaw went over the bar on Sunday morning bound for the coast of California.

The steamer Johan Poulsen was among the get-away fleet from these waters on Sunday last, going to San Francisco, with a big cargo of lumber.

The steamer Coaster went to sea and the coast of California on Sunday with a heavy cargo of lumber.

Yesterday morning at 9:30 o'clock Operator "Fuzzy" Ferland, of the United Wireless, up on Smith's Point, caught the steamship Watson, off Cascades Head, Puget Sound bound, expecting to tie up at Seattle at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

The steamer R. D. Inman arrived in port last night from San Francisco and will go direct to Knapperton to load lumber from the Columbia mills, for the return voyage.

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT AROUSES DEBATE

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE WILL VOTE ON IT IN TWO WEEKS.

At the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce last night the proposed amendment to the constitution, wherein it is provided that all of the power and authority of the organization shall be exercised, and all its work done, by an executive committee of nine members, was introduced by Mr. Whyte the manager.

Naturally the proposed amendment provoked no little discussion, though it was only introduced last night in accordance with the terms of the constitution, which provide that any proposed amendment shall be introduced and spread on the minutes at least two weeks before being voted upon.

The big commercial bodies all over the country are carried on in this way. The idea is that it is not readily possible for a large and diverse body to act in a business-like manner, while a small and active committee can do much.

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The steamer Lurline came down in good season yesterday afternoon, and went up stream at 7, as usual, and took away the following people: Max Mitchell, A. Julian, Richard Bryan, Mrs. J. F. Koos, J. Powell, W. T. Smith and Max Stral.

If the amendment does carry at the next meeting, when it is to be voted upon, it provides that that meeting the committee of nine is to be elected. Hence it will behoove all those who are interested in the matter to be present at the next meeting.

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farmers were secured, as it is desired to send them certain seeds for trial growth. Efforts will also be made to have the railroads cut off the extra \$2 that they are now "soaking" against this city from Eastern points.

GOOD OLD JUDGE. Soaks Some Censors Who Objected To Sweethearts Kissing.

NEW YORK, March 8.—Not only is it no crime to kiss your sweetheart, but you are entitled to kiss uninterrupted, according to a decision of Magistrate Corrygan, rendered yesterday in the Jefferson Market Police Court.

Maxwell Meditch and Carmen Rogers were saying good night when three Frenchmen passed by and objected. Meditch complained to a policeman and they were arrested. When arraigned yesterday the magistrate heard the testimony and then said: "That's no crime. I'm going to fine you each \$5. Next time you come across two lovers saying good night, you'll know how to behave. We've got too many censors of conduct in this town already."

RAT CAUSES TROUBLE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Mar. 8.—One small inquisitive rat demoralized the street car service of this city for a short time, put a power house out of business and left his own body a carbonized connection for 16,000 volts of electricity. The rat crawled across two of the main wires of the Beach Power House which supplies part of the local street car system with power, and when the repair men of the power company investigated the cause of the mysterious shut down of the place they found only a bit of carbon in the shape of a rat's body.

AMUSEMENTS

"THE MATCHMAKER."

A welcome announcement for the patrons of the Astoria Theatre is that of the return of Mr. Daniel Sully in his Western comedy drama, "The Matchmaker," next Sunday evening.

In these days of the "hurry-up" drama, when plays are hastily thrown together and put on the boards on a few days' notice, it is refreshing indeed to witness a performance which bears the marks of care and study, evidences of attention to minor details and the intelligent application of those fundamental dramatic rules which make all the difference between a good performance and the kind universally described as "rotten."

When a play receives the unanimous endorsement of the press, the pulpit and the public, it is safe to conclude that there is something out of the ordinary either in the play itself, the manner of its presentation, or the actors who appear in it.

In "The Matchmaker" each of these three elements of interest may be said to contribute to the success of the play, but the great drawing power of this comedy drama comes from its faithful portrayal of the characteristics of widely diverging types of human nature. Each character in the cast is a study in itself, from the degenerate half-breed "Injun" to the Reverend Father Daly himself.

Mr. Sully's conception of the role of the frontier priest appeals most strongly to clergymen, without regard to denomination or creed; the brethren of the cloth recognize in Father Daly a type of the missionary who is fighting the good fight not alone in the outlying districts of this country but in every land and clime. Their sympathy goes out to the Idaho pastor in his trials and tribulations and, better than anyone else, the clergyman appreciates the realism of his cares and perplexities.

Fortunately the serious element of the play is not allowed to predominate, as under the rich humor and delicious vein of comedy may be seen the stern, unalterable laws of every day life, and while the average theatergoer will carry away with him only the memory of a delightful comedy, the observant student of human nature will note how closely the comedy is allied to tragedy, and how often in the humor the smile mingles with the tear.

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