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Charter's baths are ready this morning.

There are several letters held for postage at the post-office.

It looked very like rain yesterday morning. Liable to have a shower now, any time.

The usual service will be held in the Y. M. C. A. Hall this afternoon at a quarter to three.

Services at the Episcopal church at the usual hours to-day. Rev. J. Sellwood officiating.

Some one asks "what is a muff?" A muff is something that holds a lady's hand without squeezing it.

The loss occasioned by the falling of the frame of the Pythian building last Friday evening is but trifling.

Services of the M. E. Church in the Baptist church to-day at the usual hours. Class meeting at 10 a. m.

Judge Roney has resumed charge of the docket and again dispenses justice to the ungodly in the police court.

Presbyterian church—Rev. G. L. Deffenbaugh, of Lapwai, Idaho, will preach at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school at noon.

Note Mrs. Arrignon's ad. this morning. She will have oysters in every style; has employed additional help; restaurant open till 11 p. m.

"The boys" in the office, after sampling the mammoth cake sent around by the ladies of the M. E. Church, pronounce it good. So let it be recorded.

The Oregon City Enterprise is informed that Clear creek is so full of salmon that men have difficulty in getting horses through at the fords. Get to these a cannery.

During October 16 cargoes went out bound for the United Kingdom. The shipments were 369,521 centals wheat; 9,434 barrels flour, and 36,761 cases of salmon; the total value was \$835,167.

Their muddy streets are agitating the minds of Portlanders at present; the Oregonian, disdainful of simple prose, invokes the aid of the muse to describe the fearful condition of the thoroughfares.

A meeting of the legal voters of school district No. 2, will be held at the old school house at upper Astoria to-morrow evening for the purpose of voting on a tax for a three months' term of school.

This morning several non-subscribers will find this paper on their door-steps. If they want to get the daily news in a readable shape and reliable form we would be glad to have their subscriptions.

Notwithstanding the storm E. C. Holden held his real estate sale at upper town yesterday. Five lots were sold at prices varying from \$250 to \$90. One-half of block 35 was withdrawn but will be offered on some future occasion.

The upper Astoria school closed a six months' term on Friday. The lowest attendance has been thirty-two; highest, 60; average, 51. The examination showed very creditably for both the teacher, Mr. H. S. Sloop and for the school, giving an average of 80 per cent. The new house will be used next term.

Messrs. Hewett and Ingersoll returned from Leadbetter Point yesterday afternoon. They report that yesterday's storm has so damaged the wreck of the Great Broughton that nothing can be done but to sell the wreck and wreckage. The sale will take place at Holden's auction rooms next Tuesday, immediately after the arrival of the Gen. Canby.

Enjoyable Event.
 "It is an ill wind that blows nobody good." This proverb was fairly illustrated in the case of the M. E. social held at Mrs. Dr. Kinney's on Friday evening; for, though some disappointment was experienced by the inclemency of the weather deterring some of the promised musical and literary talent from being present, it was the cause of extra effort by those in attendance to entertain each other, and, judging by appearances, was entirely successful. The evening was passed very pleasantly in the good old way—social intercourse, parlor amusements, good lunch, etc. "A splendid time," was heard to pass from lip to lip as the merry guests took their departure. About thirty gentlemen and ladies were present; but of space precludes the publishing of names.

The Grand Lodge of Oregon of Knights of Pythias will be instituted in Portland next Tuesday.

S. Arndt & Ferchen have completed the building of a stationary engine, 9 inch cylinder, 12 inch stroke, 15 horse power.

There will be an organization of a Band of Hope at the Presbyterian church at four o'clock this afternoon. All are cordially invited.

A quiet day along the river front yesterday; a good many ships at anchor in the stream, no craft either way, rough weather outside.

Henry McDonald, who was hanged at Silver City, Idaho, on the 14th ult., left an aged mother and a married sister who are residents of this place.

The growth of the upper Astoria school, well illustrates the growth of the place. In 1874 the highest attendance was 15; during the term just closed, 60.

Mr. Job Ross has a various colored bird, the size of a bluejay, a present from a captain upon whose vessel it fell exhausted between here and Hongkong, a thousand miles from land.

Some people have very keen eyes for business. A shooting-gallery man in Cleveland, whose business was languishing, advertised an obituary of Guitau as a target, and the rush to his room was tremendous.

A whale 45 feet long and 36 feet in circumference was found on the beach near Empire City recently. It will produce 500 gallons of oil which will sell for fifty cents a gallon. N. J. Cornwall discovered the bonanza.

Washington Territory is in a fair way to be populated by importation, if not by home industry. In witness of this, 80 children came up on the last trip of the Idaho to the Sound, several families numbering six and eight each.

Harrison is coming. Harrison, the "boy preacher" and religious contortionist, who takes a flying leap from the chancel to the pulpit, and from there springs into the front aisle shouting to all and sundry like the angels that do continually cry. He is 28 years old, and has the trapeze business down as fine as silk.

The depth of water in the channel at the mouth of the Willamette, where the blasting and raking have been done, was measured last Thursday, and found to be 22 feet less depth, with the gauge reading 4.6 equal to 17.9 feet. This rapid gain in depth is due to the softening of the mud from blasting and scraping, enabling the current to carry it off easily.

A correspondent of the Dallas Itemizer, in speaking of a hunt on the Nestucca, Tillamook county, says: In three days' hunt we killed ten deer, three being large bucks and very fat. We saw twenty-seven deer in the three days' hunting. One was rather an odd looking thing for a deer, and I will attempt a brief description of it. It was about the size of a common yearling doe; hind quarters, up to the kidneys, were white as snow; then it had a dirt colored spot on its back up to the withers; then white. The rest of the body was white up to about half of the neck; but of the color of the remainder of the neck and head I cannot say, as could not see it.

Hotel Arrivals.
 OCCIDENT.
 W. N. Anderson, Oak Point; Jacob Kahn, Nathan Ingersoll, Henry Hewett, Jr., Portland; A. H. Devers, San Francisco, A. H. Stone, Knappa.

PARKER HOUSE.
 J. C. Vinson Skamockwa; C. Brace Young's River; Geo. Clark John Days; C. D. Stewart, J. L. Lord, Ilwaco; W. F. Parker Youngs River; W. Ward city; W. G. Stone; J. W. Lane and wife Nehalem; J. Coleman Oak Point; John Q. Foster Cathlamet.

A large and well selected stock of the latest books, now on exhibition at Adler's book store.

A Fable.
 One day a Lobster, who had been beaten at old sledge, went over to see the Shark about it, and the two poor souls talked it over, wiped their eyes, and finally decided to call a reform convention. A call was written out, signed "Many Citizens," and duly posted so that all might read. When the hour arrived it brought the Devil Fish, the Wolf, the Tiger, the Eagle, the Serpent and the Alligator, and it was really affecting to see their tears as they shook hands and spoke of the painful necessity that had brought them together.

The Shark took the chair and announced that he was a strong advocate of reform. He had heard of the Wolf eating sheep, and he felt that such things must be stopped, or the country would be lost.

"If it's any worse to eat sheep than sailors, then I want to know it," retorted the Wolf. "Besides that, it is the Tiger who raises all this outcry by his misdeeds. I move you, sir, that he be reformed." "Gentlemen," slowly remarked the Tiger, as he rose up, "I've been maliciously slandered. I'm a peaceful, law-abiding citizen, and I think it too bad that every murder committed by the Devil Fish should be laid at my door. I hope he will reform."

"Mr. Chairman, I am astonished," remarked the Devil Fish, as he took the door. "I supposed you all knew me to be one of the humblest, feeblest creatures in the world. I wouldn't hurt anybody for a cent, but it is the Alligator and his domgs which has made this convention necessary."

"That's another," exclaimed the Alligator, as he left the chair. "For years past I have borne the odium of crimes committed by the Eagle, and I'll be hanged if I stand it any longer. Reform must begin with the Eagle."

"I rise to say," explained the Eagle, "that I look so much like the Serpent that he shoulders his misdeeds off on my back. I hope the convention will hurt his feelings as he has hurt mine."

"Well, now, but I am surprised!" observed the Serpent. "The wicked Lobster has so managed that I must suffer for his crimes. He comes on shore, kills an ox or a horse, directs the finger of suspicion at me, and then hustles back to his water home and is safe. Gentlemen, I ask to be set right in the eyes of the law."

The Lobster arose, heaved a deep sigh as he looked around, and then spoke as follows:

"If the Fish Worm had been invited to this convention, I should have had a chance to clear myself by charging him with having committed crimes in my name. Under the circumstances, I move that we adopt a resolution to the effect that the Hare must be hung for highway robbery and then adjourn."

Moral—Never begin a reform at home.—E.

—Fresh laid, of their own manufacture, at Warren & Eaton's.

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