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Upper Astoria needs a fire engine badly. The time for exchanging school books expires on the 31st inst.

Western Amateur band practice to-night at 8 o'clock sharp. Justice C. A. May married Ole Johnson to Emma Albertson yesterday afternoon.

The three-master schooner Sadie F. Callier arrived from San Francisco yesterday to load lumber.

The steam collier Wilmington arrived from Seattle loaded with coal yesterday and proceeded inland.

The British bark Koorina, 1,175 tons register, loaded with coal from Newcastle, N. S. W., arrived last evening.

The British steamer Danube arrived from Victoria yesterday, and after exchanging pilots proceeded on to Portland.

Pythian Castle hall has been painted and renovated. Seaside Lodge No. 12, A. O. U. W., will meet there this evening, as usual.

The Jewish citizens to-day are observing Yom Kippur, or the solemn fast of Atonement. All the Hebrew places of business will be closed until 6 o'clock this evening.

Yesterday afternoon while Mar Skibbe's new boat, the Eclipse, was making a trial trip she broke one of her eccentric rods totally disabling her.

The steamer Fisher just as she was to start for Fort Stevens, Fort Canby and Ilwaco yesterday blew out a tube from her boiler, and the Winona went in her stead.

There is now afloat from Astoria for European ports 114,481 cents wheat, from San Francisco, 618,314, and from Tacoma, 30,453.

In the circuit court yesterday, the restraining order asked for was granted in the case wherein effort was made to prevent return of license money to saloon keepers who had transferred their business to other parties.

At two o'clock this afternoon E. C. Holden will offer for sale at public auction at Robb & Parker's office, the lots in block 69, Adair's Astoria, as recently subdivided.

A garland of rail fastenings, comprising about twenty fish plates, bolts, etc., came down on the Oklahama yesterday, and to-day begins the work of laying rails on the line of the Astoria and South Coast Railway from Skippon to Grimes.

The two convicts for the penitentiary, Edith Holmes and Geo. Smith, were taken to Salem by sheriff Smith last night.

The arrival of a female convict there is an event, all those now in the Salem penitentiary being of the male persuasion.

There are no accommodations for female convicts, but the prison officials can easily arrange matters and kill two birds with one stone, as it were.

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CLIPPED AND CONDENSED.

News Items From All Over the Northwest.

There is no physician in Wahkiakum county. Lish Applegate gets an office. President Harrison has appointed him Indian agent at the Klamath agency.

One field at the Snoqualmie hop ranch, Wash., produced 200 tons, which, at 15 cents a pound, realized \$3,000.

A school item from Alaska states that last month the boys of the Sitka school caught and salted nineteen barrels of salmon.

The shipments of lumber from Puget sound ports this side of Port Townsend, for the week ending September 17th, were increased in seven vessels, aggregating 5,242,001 feet.

Seven men have been arrested for violating the salmon law on the Klamath river, near the Oregon line, and the dam complained of by Governor Penneyer has been removed.

The largest log ever cut in Aberdeen, and probably the largest ever cut on Gray's Harbor, was sawed a few days ago at West's mill. It measured 90 inches at the top.

The Oregon Improvement company's mill at Seattle, recently destroyed by fire, is immediately to be rebuilt on the old site, and its capacity increased one-half, or 250,000 feet in twenty-four hours.

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There are a number of formal resignations on file in the departments at Washington from the democratic federal office holders in Oregon.

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The towage company at South Bend report the selling of \$25,000 worth of logs. Prices have risen to from \$400 to \$500 per log.

Heavy rains from Saturday to Tuesday raised the rivers and brought down from four millions to six million feet of logs to the boom.

You have heard your friends and neighbors talking about it if you may yourself be one of the many who know from personal experience just how good a thing it is.

I have used the CUTICURA REMEDIES successfully for my baby, who was afflicted with eczema, and had such intense itching that he got no rest day or night.

The citizens in the business portion of this city are respectfully requested to have the streets cleaned and placed in a neat condition in front of their premises within three days, namely by Saturday, Oct. 6th, 1920.

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TROUBLE ON THE "JEANIE."

Fishermen Complain About King Salmon.

The following is from the San Francisco Chronicle of the 1st: The steamer Jeanie arrived from Prince Williams' sound last week with 16,000 cases of salmon for the Pacific Steam Whaling company.

According to the story of Anderson, he and his companions shipped for \$45 a month, and were to receive 1 cent on all the smaller fish caught.

The catch at Prince Williams' sound was a good one compared with those of the neighboring canneries.

Mr. Herick, hearing of this, voluntarily offered his men the additional \$5 each.

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CIRCUIT COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Oct. 4th.

Tatum & Bowen vs. E. S. Merrill; judgment on verdict. John Cyr vs. Alex. Ohls; plaintiff allowed 30 days to file reply to argument.

Chas. Wright vs. A. J. Pollard; confirmation of sale allowed. R. Caruthers vs. C. H. Page and T. S. Jewett; injunction granted and issued.

State vs. Edith Holmes and Geo. Smith; motion for new trial overruled; Edith Holmes sentenced to one year in the penitentiary, Geo. Smith sentenced to three years in the penitentiary, and to pay the costs of action.

City of Astoria vs. Jas. Petty, motion to dismiss argued and submitted. State vs. Chas. Woods; writ of review argued and submitted.

Chas. McCallin vs. J. H. D. Gray; motion for a new trial, argued, overruled; judgment for defendant. H. A. Suidt vs. Mary Suidt; motion to strike out overruled by consent and reply filed.

State of Oregon vs. Harry Anderson; waives time and asks for sentence: \$25 fine or 15 days in jail. Court adjourned until Thursday, Oct. 10th.

PERSONAL MENTION.

W. T. Ross, of Westport, is in the city. Mrs. T. S. Jewett, D. Morgan and wife, John Fox, J. H. Stannard, and Col. John Adair were passengers up on the Telephone last evening.

Rev. Dr. S. M. Campbell, of Minneapolis, who has accepted a call to the First Presbyterian church of this city, telegraphed his arrival in Portland yesterday, announcing also, his intention to take last night's boat for Astoria.

Real Estate Transfers, Oct. 4th. Wm. Stanton to J. Q. A. Rowley and C. E. Thompson, all Mar. Stanton's right in Cyrus Olney's estate, \$400.

E. A. Novas and wife to J. E. Campbell, lot 6, blk 4, north addition, \$35. W. W. Parker and wife and J. Q. A. Rowley and wife to Mrs. Olive Winton, Ely lot 5, blk 3, Shively's; \$850.

Frank Carr to Mrs. Olive Winton, lots 6 and 7, blk 111, McClure's; \$1,375. Wm. Dean to L. N. Mitchell, 50 acres sec. 20, T. 8 N., R. 7 W., \$700.

F. Tronsen to E. L. Morton, lots 2 and 3, sec. 36, T. 9 N., R. T. W.; \$700. "Weak and weary" describes the condition of many people debilitated by the warm weather.

Go to Jeff's for oysters. THE CLAM. The clam, of all the birds that swim, And fish that cleave the air, Doth most of all—both large and small—Adorn the bill of fare.

In stew or fry, or wet or dry, In batter, shell, or bake, Nor ham, nor lamb, nor jam, nor yam, From clam can take the cake.

He lends new cheer to lager beer, Let him be fresh or "high"; He's good with ale, and gin-cocktail, And tola, rock or rye.

Let others sing the joys of spring, When skips the festive rain; My pen can high shall rend the sky, With "three cheers for the clam."

Skinned on Fire. A agonizing itching, burning, and itching eczema, and other skin diseases. A raw sore from head to foot. Hair gone. Doctors and hospitals failed. Cured by CUTICURA REMEDIES for \$6.

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