

The Daily Astorian.

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THE PRICE OF SALMON.

The Situation as Between the Cannermen and Fishermen.

THE LATEST CIRCULAR ISSUED.

Ten days of the open salmon season on the Columbia river have gone by, and there is little change in the existing situation. No canneries are running and no fish are being caught in the Columbia or in the Willamette below Portland.

It seems a matter of impossibility for the cannermen to pay \$1.25 for salmon in this season of the year. Unfortunately it is equally impossible for the gill-net fishermen to make anything like decent wages at anything less.

Spring house-cleaning has commenced in good earnest, and there is hardly a house but what has the carpets pulled up and is receiving a general overhauling.

A prominent financier of eastern Oregon will arrive here this morning for the purpose of buying a suitable business location on which to erect a brick building and establish a bank.

Some of the young men of the city have secured an 18-foot Columbia river boat and are having a boatwright put in and the boat yacht-rigged, the forerunner of the Astoria Yacht club.

At a regular convention of Astor Lodge, No. 3, K. of P., held at Pythian castle on Wednesday evening, H. A. Smith resigned as keeper of records and seal, and D. B. Blount was elected to fill the vacancy.

For a portion of last evening the streets were shrouded in darkness, as the electric lights were in gloom for awhile, but they were soon burning, their value was quite apparent.

The lecture by Archbishop Gross at Ross' opera house next Tuesday evening will be an interesting one, and he will doubtless have a large audience.

That flag staff over the custom house seems oppressed by the weight of two flags. It is a terrible strain on one pole to have to sustain the custom flag and the stars and stripes.

The carpenters have completed their work in the new rooms being fitted up for the Athletic club, and painters have nearly finished and paperhangers are putting on the ornamental touches.

Quite a variety of furs were seen by a reporter of THE ASTORIAN yesterday in P. J. Meany's tailoring rooms on Cass street.

A piece of cardboard, 8x13 inches, is received, on which is printed in blue ink a statement that the Union Pacific system of steamers on the Columbia river will leave Portland on Monday.

A pocketbook, in the vicinity of the Flavel building, containing memoranda and a sum of money. Please return it to this office and be rewarded.

THE NORTHERN PACIFIC.

Two of Its Representatives in This City.

Among the passengers arriving last evening on the steamer S. G. Reed from Portland were A. L. Horner and E. S. Alexander, who are said to be here in the interest of the railroad.

He is connected with the Northern Pacific and located at Tacoma, but insists that their visit here is in no way official, but simply to get away from business for a while, enjoy a pleasure trip, and see this section about which they hear so frequently in Tacoma such interesting accounts.

When the reporter presented the advantages of Astoria in regard to the largest ships or steamers discharging or receiving freight at our wharves, and the great convenience it would be a through line of railroad connecting here, Mr. Horner was much interested and believes that it is only a question of time when ships will connect here with railroads and thus be enabled to load and unload full cargoes here instead of going to or coming from Portland.

The gentlemen go over on the Gen. Canby this morning, and Mr. Horner, who also for Mr. Canby and Stevens and the government jetty.

PERSONAL MENTION.

G. B. Hegardt, superintendent, was up from the jetty on government business yesterday.

Miss L. V. Chapman of Tillamook, arrived upon the Augusta yesterday and is a guest at the Occident.

P. S. Mattox, general agent of the Cleveland-Haverly minstrels, came down from Portland last evening, to arrange for the appearance of his company here on Friday evening of next week.

Capt. H. Wherly leaves this morning for Shoalwater and surrounding points, on a business trip in the interest of E. C. Hughes & Co.

The Old Veterans.

Cushing Post, No. 14, G. A. R., had a very interesting session last evening at their hall on Second street.

Calculated to Advertise Astoria.

"What is Said About Astoria," is the title of a neatly printed pamphlet, received yesterday morning containing a large amount of matter about Astoria's prominence, its commercial position and its manifold advantages.

Mr. Lindenberg, who has been having salmon put up in barrels, salted, for shipment to Europe, sent off his first carload yesterday.

Remarkable Rescue.

Mrs. Michael Curtin, Plainfield, Ill., writes the statement that she caught a cold which settled on her lungs; she was treated a month by her family physician, but grew worse.

Remember the Astoria House at the Seaside is open the year 'round.

THE "R. P. ELMORE."

Successful Launch of The New Steamer.

The little steamer which has been constructed in rear of the Astoria Iron works, was launched yesterday afternoon in the presence of several hundred spectators, who had assembled on the surrounding wharves, and maintained their position for a long time, in spite of the chilly wind which was blowing.

At 5:18 p. m. the last supports were removed, and the vessel very slowly started to slide down the greased ways, the motion being scarcely perceptible for over a foot, then the movement was more rapid and soon she slipped swiftly down the incline and into the water.

The rocking waves were rolling high, as if old King Neptune was christening a daughter of the sea, to be known as the "R. P. Elmore." This is the name of the father of the senior member of the firm of Elmore, Sanborn & Co., the owners, who resides at Milwaukie, Wisconsin, and the boat is named in honor of him.

As she floated on the waves, cheers were given by the people on shore, and whistles were blown by the little steamer "Electric Bitters."

The builder is Jos. Leathers, and the Astoria Iron works furnishes the iron used in the hull and superstructure.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS, APRIL 10.

As Filed in The County Recorder's Office Yesterday.

P. L. Cherry and wife to Mina F. Rogers lots 3 and 4, tract 1, Gray's subdivision of blk 27, H. & A. addn. 550

Wm. Timmons, postmaster of Idaville, Ind., writes: "Electric Bitters has done more for me than all other medicines combined, for that bad feeling arising from kidney and liver trouble."

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