

ABOUT THE CITY.

Extensive repairs are being made to the residence of Mr. W. W. Parker.

The Clatsop Mill Company yesterday sold a large order of lumber to Kansas people.

The Astoria and South Coast road will on Monday next, begin operations for the summer.

Postmaster Hare has recommended Patrick Shea for the position of substitute letter carrier.

A marriage license was issued yesterday by the county clerk to John P. Osterberg and Elsa B. Sankala.

The letter-carrier, who are allowed a vacation of fifteen days yearly, have begun to take advantage of the privilege.

The contract for the new schoolhouse at New Astoria (Fort Stevens) has been let to Messrs. R. A. Abbott and Henry Lynch of Skipanon.

A dispatch was received yesterday by Mr. J. Strauss, stating that his sister, Mrs. Max Rosenthal, had died in San Jose, Cal., on Sunday last.

The ladies attending the convention of the W. C. T. U. had their photographs taken yesterday standing on the steps of the Methodist church.

The Demorest Medal contest will be a special part of the program at the convention this evening. A small admission of 10 cents will be charged.

Mr. O. Heilborn will shortly remove to the new residence in course of construction on West Eighth street. The building is the property of Mr. J. W. Welch.

Remember the Austin House at the Seaside is open the year around.

Suit has been commenced in the circuit court by C. J. Kimball against W. C. and Mary Cassell to recover the sum of \$400 due on a promissory note, together with interest, etc.

If you want some extra fine photos, Moores' is the place to get them.

In Justice Cleveland's court yesterday Byron Duncan was fined in the sum of \$40 for assault and battery committed on the person of John Ferrell. The offense was committed at Olney.

Menny is the leading tailor and pays the highest cash price for fur skins.

One of the windows in the postoffice was broken yesterday morning by some unknown person. No attempt was made to enter the office; so it is supposed the mischief was done by some boy.

For all kinds of job printing, go to Del. Ferguson, upstairs, Astorian building.

The delegates from Beaver Lodge No. 35, I. O. F., to the Grand Lodge session, which will meet in Eugene on Monday next, are Messrs. J. W. Welch, C. S. Gunderson, J. Q. A. Bowly and C. Gramms.

Fresh fish received at the Albatross Fish market daily. Salmon 10 cents per pound.

Some of the fishermen are having rather hard luck. One native of Sunny Italy, when asked yesterday, how the run of fish was: "Skunkado lasta night; skunkado dia morno; loosa ten fatham neto," he replied.

Parties visiting in Portland can get The Daily Astorian at Handley & Haas' news stand, 150 First street.

Sheriff Smith went over to Skipanon yesterday afternoon, on the steamer Electric, to hunt up a boat which had been stolen from J. G. Megler. The sheriff was successful in his search and brought the boat back with him on the return trip. The thief is still at large.

Del. Ferguson, general job printer, Astorian building, upstairs. First-class work at reasonable rates.

Yesterday afternoon when the steamer Wenona was on the way to this city on her usual daily trip, an upturned fishing boat was observed near Desdemona Sands. The steamer was headed in that direction and brought the boat in, but nothing was heard of the occupants.

Free at Crow's gallery, a life-size crayon with every dozen cabinets ordered. Offer good for 30 days.

A fishing boat was upset yesterday near Tanzy Point. It was towed in by Kinney's sloop. The fate of the men could not be learned. Another boat was upset near Chinook. At a late hour last evening it was learned that the occupants of one of the boats upset were Nelson Hanjen and Georges Balse. Nothing has been heard regarding their bodies.

Wing Lee has just received a full line of Japanese curiosities and fancy goods. Will sell at cost. 529 Third street.

The teachers who are candidates for certificates at the teachers' examination now in progress at the Court Street school, are Miss Norah Nickerson, Miss Hattie Sayre, Miss Mary Fassett, Miss Ethel Andrews, Miss Mamie Millard, Miss Belle Wooden, Miss Annie O'Neil, Miss Alida Reipma, Miss Ethel Mattheson, Miss Sarah Smalley, and Louis Rehfeld. The examiners are Professors Wright, Lyman and Brower.

L. P. Fisher, newspaper advertising agent, 21 Merchants' Exchange, San Francisco, is our authorized agent. This paper is kept in office at his office.

Nathan Pickernell, who shot Dan Gagnon, Wednesday near Pillar Peak, was arrested yesterday by Sheriff Smith. Pickernell was found standing near the Union Pacific dock. His version of the causes that led to the shooting, was similar to that given The Astorian by George Vinson on Wednesday evening. He was arraigned before Justice Cleveland and held without bail, pending the outcome of Gagnon's injuries.

J. W. Thompson, organist at the M. E. church, wishes to take a few more pupils in music, piano or organ. Address, 539, Astor street.

The water was turned off at the main yesterday from the Y. M. C. A.

rooms, and the ladies who were getting dinner for the visiting W. C. T. U. members were compelled to have water carried from other houses. Mr. Smith, the superintendent of the water company, says the action was due to the failure of the Y. M. C. A. officers to call at the water company's office according to the invariable rule, and pay water charges.

Buy "Fride of Japan" tea. Our own importation; rich, pure, fragrant, and at no higher price than you usually pay for an inferior one. Ross, Higgins & Company.

A number of citizens have subscribed toward a fund to send the minor heirs of Joe Catoldo to relatives in New York state. Mayor Crosby received a letter a few days ago from an uncle of the children stating that he could furnish them with a home if this city would send them to New York. The city being unable to take action in the matter, the aid of the county was invoked, and the \$50 obtained in that way will be added to by private subscription until the necessary amount is secured.

All members of Carpenters' Union No. 520 are hereby requested to attend the regular meeting next Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock, as there is business of importance to transact. By order of the president; Wm. A. Fry, recording secretary.

It appears that there are still some people who cannot be convinced that a factory for the manufacture of salmon oil is a desirable institution to have near or on their property, notwithstanding the fact that a device has been secured for confining the offensive odor which arises from the decaying fish heads. The announcement was made some days ago that Mr. DeForce had secured another site for his oil works, and that by the new manner of extracting the oil no odor was noticeable. The site "secured," was, it is alleged, on a piece of tide land belonging to D. K. Warren, and P. C. Warren, who have brought suit to restrain DeForce from erecting the building. The land in dispute is in front of the Coffinbury and Eberman donation land claim and the defendant claims that he bought a small piece of land there and by virtue of that purchase owns the tide land in front.

Ryan & Co. 537, Third street, have just received a full line of 1893 patterns in wall paper, and comprising all the latest designs and shades, at the lowest prices. Call and see them.

The following abstracts from statements prepared by Collector Taylor at the Astoria custom house for the month of April will be found interesting: The total imports were \$44,253, consisting principally of tin-plate and rice. Of this amount there was deposited in the bonded warehouse, \$24,924; withdrawn from bond during the month, \$27,176; remaining in bond at the end of the month, \$23,735. Vessels entered from foreign ports, 1; vessels cleared for foreign ports, 2; vessels cleared for domestic ports, 35; vessels entered from domestic ports, 40; entries of merchandise for duty, 2; entries of merchandise for warehouse, 5; entries liquidated, 53; certificate of registry granted, 1; certificates of enrollment granted, 3; licenses granted, 12. The value of domestic exports was \$460; the duties collected were \$38,192.30; receipts from all sources were \$38,362.34; expense of collecting for the month was \$1,115.65, and the number employed being twenty.

The residence until recently occupied by Mr. J. Strauss, at the northwest corner of Third and Lafayette streets, will be sold at public auction on the premises on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Further information can be had by applying to Martin Olsen, auctioneer.

NEW IMMIGRATION LAWS. Questions That Will Be Asked Intending Immigrants.

Under the new immigration laws, which went into effect on the 4th inst., the following questions will be asked at the boarding offices in all the principal seaports of Europe of all who apply for passage to this country: By whom was your passage paid? Have you any money, and, if so, how much more or less than \$30? Have you ever been in the United States before, and if so when and where? Do you go to America to join any relatives and if so what relatives? Have you ever been an inmate of a prison, almshouse, or have you ever benefited by charity? Are you deformed or crippled? When were you last examined by a medical officer? Those failing to answer these questions satisfactorily will not be permitted to go aboard the steamer.

ATTENTION KNIGHTS. The members of Pacific Lodge No. 17, K. of P., will meet at their Castle Hall on Friday, May 12th, 1893, at 7:30 sharp. Hon. Ed. Sharon, Grand Chancellor, will make an official visit to Astoria and Pacific Lodges on that date.

By order B. S. Worsley, C. C. Attest: A. A. Cleveland, K. of R. and S.

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JEFF'S, The Only Restaurant.

The Society Of Pioneers.

The Pioneer and Historical Society met yesterday afternoon at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce with President S. B. Smith in the chair. There were also present, Vice-President J. H. D. Gray, Treasurer John Hobson, and Messrs. E. C. Holden, L. E. Dupark, F. J. Taylor, J. W. Welch, H. G. Van Dusen, and B. Van Dusen.

After payment of some bills had been ordered, the president was authorized to appoint a committee of five to raise funds to pay the balance due for expenses incidental to the Columbia River Centennial celebration.

The report of the treasurer, showing a balance on hand May 11th, of \$88.53, was read and ordered placed on file. The following officers were then elected to serve for the ensuing year: President, Silas B. Smith, re-elected; vice-president, F. J. Taylor; secretary, H. G. Van Dusen; treasurer, S. T. McKean; corresponding secretary, J. W. Welch; executive committee, J. H. D. Gray, John Hobson, and B. Van Dusen.

The secretary was instructed to write up the memorials now on file, and Messrs. J. H. D. Gray and John Hobson were appointed a memorial committee to draft suitable resolutions upon the death of Mrs. Mary Ann Adair, and John M. Shively.

It was decided to place a list of the names of the members of the society in the chest formerly the property of Robert Gray, and instructions were given the secretary accordingly, after which the meeting adjourned.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. W. H. Smith of Fort Clatsop, is in the city.

Mr. C. L. Barlow of Tacoma, visited this city yesterday.

Mr. M. D. Roche of Portland, is a guest at the Occident.

Mr. R. A. Habersham came down from the metropolis yesterday.

Mr. E. A. Wadhams of Blaine, Wash., was a guest at the Occident yesterday.

Mr. J. L. Weatherbee of Eagle Cliff, Wash., came down the river yesterday afternoon.

Mr. J. Greig and son, of Chehalis, were among the arrivals at the Occident yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McKenzie of "Garschkwm" were among the arrivals in town yesterday.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following are the real estate transfers as reported for The Astorian by the Astoria Abstract, Title and Trust Company, Astoria, May 11.

H. C. Thompson to Ralph Hall, lots 10, 11, and 12, in block 19, Laurel Park ..... 100

H. C. Thompson to Ralph Hall, lots 17 and 18, in block 2, West Warrenton ..... 140

STATESMEN AND CONNOISSEURS.

A rather pointed story is told of Senator Blackburn of Kentucky, and the late Senator Beck, which is given in "The Editor's Drawer" of Harper's Magazine. Upon one occasion it was necessary to test some old Bourbon whisky before shipping the Simon pure to a fastidious customer. The anxious dealer bethought him of these two great men, who were universally admitted to be connoisseurs in the article, and begged their indulgence in the matter of tasting the liquor.

Blackburn swallowed a little sip, smacked his lips, looked a little bit critical, tried it again and then said: "It is fair—very fair—but," again smacking his lips, "it seems to me I taste iron in it." The dealer looked discouraged. Beck went through the same process of tasting and trying, at last exclaiming: "That's good—very good—but I think I detect a taste of leather." The dealer's face fell. But feeling sure he had a superior article, he investigated. After diligent search he found a carpet-tack with a leather cap in the bottom of the cask.

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