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OUR DAILY MARINE COLUMN

The following report of the passage of the four-masted bark Crofton Hall, which arrived at Liverpool, Friday evening, was received from Captain Lyons yesterday: Left on the 5th of January; had gales of southeast and easterly wind with dirty weather for some days; then southwest and southerly wind, light; took northeast trades in about 23 degrees west; stiff trades; lost them in 4 degrees west; light southerly wind for a few days; crossed the equator in 26 degrees 30 minutes west, 26 days out; took southeast trades in 1 degree west and carried them to 20 degrees south, and stiff, well to the southward; tacked off the Brazilian coast; had northeast wind to 25 degrees south; variable easterly to the cape; fine weather from 50 degrees south and 63 degrees west, to 50 degrees south and 88 west was eight and one-half days; stiff west southwest wind with fine weather to 40 degrees south, 93 west; then northwest wind for eight days; took southeast trades to 26 degrees south and 87 degrees west; carried them to 1 degree west; light westerly airs to 9 degrees west; crossed the equator in the Pacific 111 degrees west, ninety days out; took northeast trades in 10 degrees west; stiff trades to 29 degrees north; then north and northwest winds to port, 126 days; all well. The following ships were spoken on the voyage: American schooner Cora S. McKay, 23d of January, 21 degrees north, 24 west, bound south; British ship Kilmory, 29th of January, 2 degrees north, 26 west, bound south; British ship Bleng-fell, 5th of February, 7 degrees north, 35 west, bound south; British ship Yal-laria, 4th of March, 57 degrees south, 71 west, bound east; Nov. ship Prince Edward, 18th of March, 30 degrees south, 86 west, bound north; American ship General Knox, 23d of March, 26 degrees south, 88 west, bound north; American ship E. B. Sutton, April 25th, 30 deg. north, 131 west, bound north, American schooner Martha W. Taft, May 4th, 37 north, 129 west, bound north; American bark Aureola, May 8th, 42 north, 126 west, bound north.

The ship Tillie Starbuck, from New York for Astoria, sailed on the 10th inst.

The lighthouse tender Columbine will leave for Alaska tomorrow with supplies.

The British bark Seaforth arrived down yesterday. She is ready for sea. The steamer Electric is to be placed on the run to Young's Bay Bridge as soon as the Seaside travel begins.

The steam ship State of California is due at this port today from San Francisco.

The steam ship Columbia sails today for San Francisco.

The steamer Chilkat left for Alaska yesterday, taking a quantity of supplies for the Chilkat Canning Company.

The steamer Elmora arrived in from Tillamook yesterday afternoon. Captain Tatton reports that the steamer South Coast, which went ashore inside the bar at Tillamook a few weeks since, and which was got off by the steamers Truckee and Elmora, left for San Francisco yesterday morning. She was piloted to sea by the Elmora.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. H. Wilts, Jr. of San Francisco, is in the city.

Mrs. D. J. Ingalls of Melville, is a guest at the Occident.

Mr. E. Evans of Portland was among the arrivals in town yesterday.

Mr. H. C. Wood, a Portland detective, visited this city yesterday.

Mr. J. L. Atkinson came down from Portland yesterday afternoon.

Mr. F. D. Parsons of San Francisco was among the arrivals at the Occident yesterday.

Miss Maria Victoria Alcaraz of Cannon Beach, will leave today on the Columbia, for San Francisco.

Captain A. W. Berry, wife and son Arthur, of Portland, are visiting Astoria, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tal-lant.

Mrs. Clayton and her daughter, Miss Alcaraz, of Seaside, came up to this city yesterday. Miss Alcaraz will go to San Francisco today on the steamer Columbia.

Mrs. J. A. Bird and daughter, Hattie, mother and sister of Mrs. B. F. Packard, who have spent the past year in Astoria, leave this morning on the Columbia for San Francisco on the way to their home in Rockland, Maine.

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THE INFANTA FASTIDIOUS.

New York, May 13.—An evening paper says: So many complications have arisen over the approaching visit of her royal highness the Infanta Eulalia of Spain, that the various committees having charge of the affair are at their wit's end. A light and dignified friction between the Circulo Colon Cervantes Society and the ladies that wanted to manage the ball in her honor has been settled by placing the arrangements in the hands of the society, with the ladies as patronesses. The committee-men breathed freer and thought that all trouble was over. Then they engaged regal quarters for her royal highness at the Hotel Waldorf. That they thought, settled the worst features of the detail, but they were wrong. The Infanta has thrown quite a bombshell into the camp of the committee-men, and it is learned from an authentic source that the Infanta sent word that she will not stop at the Hotel Waldorf and occupy the rooms formerly occupied by one of her subjects. In fact, she refuses to be quartered in the same, much less occupy the rooms vacated by the Duke of Veragua. The members of the committee are in a quandary now where to go to get suitable accommodations.

BECOMING HARMONIZED.

New York, May 13.—Joseph P. Ryan assistant secretary of the Irish National Federation of America, is quoted as saying: "I received advices by way of London which inform me of a bargain consummated whereby John Redmond now leader of the minority, will be taken with his colleagues into the majority. The Redmonds stood shoulder to shoulder on every vote on the home rule measure in parliament, and that they undoubtedly had much to do with the healing of the wounds."

MUST SERVE HER TIME.

London, May 13.—Home Secretary Asquith has finally intimated that the Dowager Duchesse of Sutherland sentenced to six weeks' imprisonment by Presiding Justice Jenne of the court of probate for burning a document which she was permitted to see, by order of the court, will not have her sentence remitted by the home office but will have to remain in jail the full six weeks.

GRAIN DEALERS FAIL.

Lincoln, Neb., May 13.—Kendall & Smith, grain dealers, with numerous elevators throughout the state, have failed. There are mortgages on the property aggregating nearly \$300,000. Pressing claims came which if it alleged cannot be satisfied. Among them was one from the president and board of directors of the Columbia National Bank of Chicago, for \$25,000.

NEW ORDER ORGANIZED.

Tacoma, May 13.—Jefferson Camp No. 1, Native Sons of Washington, was organized in Jefferson county tonight. The objects of the new order social, moral and intellectual improvement, and to preserve the traditions of the pioneers. Religion and politics are not tolerated. Camps are to be organized in other parts of the state.

CELEBRATED ORDER REVOKED.

Washington, May 13.—Pension Commissioner Lochren today issued an order revoking the celebrated "Completed Files" order of Commissioner Raum. Hereafter all pending claims in each class will be taken up for consideration in the order in which the unconsidered evidence was filed.

SEALING AGREEMENT.

Victoria, May, 13.—Collector of Customs Milne has received a telegram from the deputy minister of marine at Ottawa, notifying him that Great Britain and Russia have agreed to prohibit sealing within ten miles of the Russian coast and within thirty leagues of Robin Island.

THE ALLIANCE GOING SOUTH.

Vallejo, Cal., May 13.—The cruiser "Alliance" left Mare Island this morning for San Juan del Sur.

COURT STREET SCHOOL.

Following is the report of Court Street school for the month ending May 12, 1893:

Table with columns: Total, Boys, Girls, Total No. Enrolled, Days Attendance, Days Absence, Per cent of Attendance, Per cent of Punctuality, Times Tardy, Average d'y being out, Average d'y attend'ce, Cases Corp'l Punishment's, Visitors. Includes rows for Boys, Girls, and Total.

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SUMMONS.

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