

ABOUT THE CITY.

The Manzanita will cool up the light-ship today and then proceed south.

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

Herman Wise has made an arrangement with his creditors whereby he will reopen his store tomorrow.

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

How is your tongue this morning. Try to speak the following rapidly and clearly: The bleak breeze blighted the bright broom blossoms.

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

Ex-Police Tom Jewett is in temporary charge of the postoffice at Seaside, Mrs. A. S. Anderson having been removed for cause by the inspector.

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

Late Wednesday night Health Officer Kinney gave the Danube a clean bill of health, the Mongolian who was sick on the steamer's arrival, having recovered.

Buy Raser's Root Extract to make a healthful, refreshing beverage. Sold everywhere.

County Treasurer M. Fould yesterday paid \$20,000 to the state treasurer. This sum represented about one-half of Clatsop county's taxes for the support of the state.

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

Two nets were picked up yesterday morning on Sand Island. They were the property of the Cutting Packing company. The boats and their occupants have been missing since the first of the week.

Have just completed our ice cream parlor for the convenience of our patrons.—Colmann's.

McLean & Freeman have brought suit in the justice court to recover the sum of \$126.22 from D. G. Ross, of Knappa, and a writ of attachment on some logging gear has been issued and served.

A gill net with 415 corks; no marks on leads or corks has been found. Owner can recover by calling at A. Booth Packing Co., and paying expenses.

The fact has just been learned that two of the fishermen employed by the A. Booth Packing Company were drowned on Tuesday last. Their boat has been found, but no trace of the bodies has been discovered.

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

Arrangements have been made to have Mr. Bates return and give another lecture next Tuesday. His talk will contain other episodes and incidents of his life and will doubtless be equally as interesting as his previous one.

Raser's Root Beer Superior to all others. Blumauer-Frank Drug Company agents, Portland Oregon.

The members of the Uniform Rank of the Knights of Pythias are determined to carry off the honors in Heppner in October next, when the Grand Lodge meets. Their drilling is now almost perfect, and would reflect credit upon any body, military or civil.

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

City Surveyor Harry has completed his estimate of the cost of improving Cass street from the north line of Court street to a point 250 feet north of the northern boundary of Chenamus street. The estimates will be submitted to the council at Tuesday night's meeting.

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

Yesterday morning about 7 o'clock Mrs. Nymman, who shot herself accidentally a few days ago while endeavoring to extract a cartridge from arifle, died suddenly from heart clot. Her recovery was considered certain up to a short time before she died, and her death was a sad blow to her husband and numerous friends. She was but 19 years old, and leaves one child but a few months old.

We are now prepared to furnish ice cream for balls, parties and weddings, made from pure Clatsop cream. Colmann's.

In some of his leisure moments Mr. W. R. Cuthbertson recently executed a copy of the Lord's prayer, in a circular space just thirty-six hundredths of an-inch in diameter. The space, which was not filled, is half the diameter of a dime, and one-quarter of the area. The work was done with an ordinary "303" pen, and no glass was used. Every letter is as distinct as if type printed.

J. W. Thompson, organist at the M. E. church, wishes to take a few more pupils in music, piano or organ. Address, 683, Astor street.

On motion of counsel for the defense, the examination of Nathan Pickernell for attempt to kill Dan Gagnon, was postponed yesterday by Justice Cleveland until next Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. The doctors did not think it advisable that the complaining witness should be cross-examined until he gained more strength. There are hopes that Gagnon's injuries may not prove so serious as was at first supposed, and that he will recover the use of his legs.

Buy "Pride 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.

The rough weather last night resulted in but few fish being caught. Quite a number of men refused to go out, realizing the danger of losing their nets and having their boats stove in. Above Tongue Point the river was described as a "regular forest."

plentiful was the drift. One of the men fishing for the Scandinavian cannery lost about one-third of his net, and another about one-half. Many trees came down the river, and whenever a net got caught on one of them all that could be done was to gather in as much as possible of it, and cut it, leaving the remainder. The entire loss from this source Wednesday night cannot be ascertained, but it is certain that much damage has been done.

More Forged Certificates Found.

Some more forged certificates were discovered yesterday by Collector Taylor, and the work is similar to that described in The Astorian a few weeks ago, when a number of the documents bearing the notarial seal of A. R. Kanaga, came to light. On the first of those discovered yesterday were the names: C. W. Loughery, chief of police, O. B. Estes, M. D., W. W. Parker, real estate and insurance agent, and Herman Wise, merchant, in the order in which the names are given. The certificate is dated July 20th, 1891, or several months before Mr. Loughery was appointed to the office of chief of police. On the second of the forgeries appear the names of P. W. Weeks, R. N. Carnahan, F. Sherman, and O. B. Estes, M. D.

On the third appear the signatures of W. Loughery, L. N. Mitchell, and O. B. Estes, M. D. The imitation of Dr. Estes' handwriting is almost perfect, although it is quite evident that the same hand that wrote Chief Loughery's name, also wrote that of Dr. Estes.

The certificate of the notary public is as follows: "I, A. R. Kanaga, hereby certify that I have carefully 'composed' this photograph with Chew Sam, and that it is a true and correct picture of Chew Sam, and is a picture of Chew Sam, made and taken by him for the purpose of identifying him while on his way to and from China, and especially to enable him to land in America after his return from China. Witness my hand and seal this 20th day of July, A. D. 1891."

But right here is where an important omission is made. The signature of Mr. Kanaga is not affixed, although the certificate bears the impress of his notarial seal. The word "and," between the words "hand" and "seal," is also missing, but whether from design or not cannot be stated.

The use of the word "composed" also occurs in each where the word "composed" should have been used, a peculiarity which was also noticeable in the big batch discovered some weeks since.

Then again, the depositions of the Mongolians were not signed by the deponent. When P. W. Weeks was shown the forged document with his name to it, he at once pronounced it genuine, and reiterated that he was sure of it, as he had signed a Chinese certificate about the time the paper in question had been made out. Deputy Collector Parker then showed him the certificate he had really signed, and Weeks was dumfounded. The two signatures so closely resembled each other that a hasty glance was not sufficient to enable one to detect which was the true and which the false. The photographs were compared, however, and then the fraud was disclosed. Herman Wise was also called upon, as were Chief Loughery and Mr. Carnahan. All of these saw the close similarity, but upon scrutinizing the characters were convinced that their signatures had been forged.

The Customs authorities are now of the opinion that they will be able to sift the matter to the bottom, and that the systematic frauds which have undoubtedly been practiced for some time past will be saddled upon the shoulders of the guilty.

Fisher's Hall on Saturday evening, will be the scene of one of the most enjoyable dances of the season, that to be given by Concomly Tribe No 7, I. O. E. M. Tickets can be had at any of the stores, or from any member of the order. Those who do not attend will miss a grand time.

Ryan & Co. 557, 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.

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

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

Positive notice is hereby given that on Monday, May 22, 1893, I shall commence to make actual levy upon personal and real property on which the taxes are delinquent of any and all taxpayers, the costs for such actual levy in some instances is double the amount of tax. Any person not wishing such costs must pay their delinquent taxes prior to that date positively. And after May 26, 1893, the costs for advertising will be added, this applies to all delinquents.

H. A. SMITH, Sheriff.

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School Exercises A Signal Success.

Notwithstanding the disagreeable weather a large audience representing the culture and refinement of Astoria assembled at Liberty Hall last evening to witness the closing exercises of the Astoria Select School. The hall was tastefully decorated by Mrs. C. P. Uphur, Mrs. Perry Trullinger and Mrs. Worsley. In evening dress and white gloves, Masters Trullinger, Uphur Cherry, Wright and Worsley, acted as ushers.

After prayer by Rev. Lyman the junior class were introduced by a violin and piano duet by Master Sigfred and Miss Clara Young. Miss Young's reputation as a pianist of unusual merit is well established, but Master Sigfred made his debut as a violinist and rendered the difficult selection in a manner seldom equaled by any but experienced musicians.

Master Andrew Holmes' declamation entitled "Manhood," was delivered in an unusually effective style and with very distinct articulation.

Miss Hattie E. Tallant acquitted herself nobly in reciting the "Lost Chimney." Karl Knutson's declamation, "Dan Periton's Ride" was well received by the appreciative audience.

Miss Lottie Bennett sang "When My Ship Comes In," a beautiful selection and well adapted to the young lady's voice, which is one of unusual strength and sweetness for one of her years.

Miss Nettie Tuttle's essay, on the "River's Secrets" was refreshing in its originality. Interesting fact and fanciful descriptions were interwoven in an especially effective manner.

Miss May Morgan's recitation, "The Women of Marble Head" was well rendered, and met with deserved appreciation.

Sigfred Young declaimed "Behind Time" in a pleasing and unembarrassed manner deserving of special mention.

Miss May Morgan's piano solo "Bohemian Girl," was executed in an artistic and expressive style quite unusual for one so young.

Kate Uphur recited "Farewell to the Family Fleet," in an especially pleasing and unaffected manner.

Miss Polly McKean, who stood next highest in the late gold medal elocutionary contest, rendered her recitation, "Dolores," in her most effective manner. This concluded the junior exercises.

The duet, "Merry Birds," by Polly McKean and Lottie Bennett, a beautiful selection, charmingly rendered and enthusiastically encored, opened the graduating exercises proper. Miss Clara Young then read an essay entitled, "Following the Leader." This was an unusual subject and handled in a masterly manner, clearly, concisely and pleasingly written, and all the better appreciated because differing from the ordinary graduating essays in its character. Rev. W. S. Short, in his usually happy manner, with some very appropriate remarks, presented Miss Young with a diploma certifying to Miss Young's having finished the full course of study as taught in the Astoria Select School, this young lady being the first one to take such honors, all graduates heretofore being of the Academic department only.

The audience was next entertained with an address by H. S. Lyman, whose reputation as a scholar and writer render it unnecessary to state that the subject matter was interesting and replete with noble ideas and original thoughts pleasingly presented. The address was an intellectual treat. The class song, "A Parting," was next sung by the young ladies. This song was written by Samuel L. Simpson for the graduating class of 1876, of Willamette University, and is a beautiful composition. It seemed especially fitting and effecting on this occasion from the fact that Miss Young leaves in a few days for a three year's stay in Europe, and the farewell which she says to her schoolmates is a longer one than that which is usually said by graduates.

The exercises of the evening closed with callisthenics embodying some entirely new drills in dumb-bells which were gracefully and accurately performed by the young ladies of the junior class attired in their uniform costumes of cream bunting.

This closes the seventh year of the Astoria Select School, a year attended with such prosperity as to warrant the management in branching out and adding another department under the supervision of a competent instructor at the commencement of the next school year. Much credit is due Miss Warren, the principal, for the excellent work which her school has accomplished in the past, and we bespeak a very prosperous future for this institution, which has steadily risen in favor, and numbers among its patrons and friends, the most influential and cultivated families of Astoria.

Beginning on Sunday, the Mayflower will connect with the steamer Lurline for Ilwaco on Sundays, leaving Astoria on the arrival of the Lurline and leave Ilwaco, at 4:30, to connect with the Lurline for Portland.

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