ABOUT THE CITY.

The steamship Columbia is due this morning from California.

Oregon strawberries at Smith's today.

The steamship Oregon will sail for San Francisco this morning.

Remember McGuire's Hotel at Seaside is open the year around.

The Weekly Tribune of Silverton, Or., is offered for sale at a reasonable figure.

Raser's Root Beer Superior to all others.

The funeral of Peter Nelson, the victim of Sunday's drowning accident, took place yesterday.

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

The Chautauqua circle meets at the residence of S. T. McKean, Court street, at 8 p. m., tonight.

The Belmont cigar can be had at Chas. Olsen's.

The American Institute business in this city has been purchased by Dr. Mullinix and A. L. Curry.

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

The board of school directors held a meeting yesterday and purchased 120 seats for the Uppertown school house.

Fresh Clatsop cream received every morning at Colmann's.

An accident to the machinery in the can factory occurred yesterday and necessitated a temporary suspension of operations.

The original Root Beer Extract is Raser's.

Yesterday morning a Russian Finn fell on the sidewalk on Third street and dislocated his left leg. Chief Loughery had him attended to.

Westport cream fresh every morning at Smith's Ice Cream parlors, Third st.

The steamer Willapa, which formerly ran between this port and Shoalwater Bay, is now on the run between Neah Bay and Port Townsend.

Strawberries and cream at Colmann's.

The ship Belle of Bath, from New York for this port, was spoken May 14th, in latitide 30.59 north, longitude 42.12 west, fourteen days out.

For fine wines and liquors call at August Danielson's Sample Rooms.

Two carloads of lumber were taken down to Taylor's Astoria by the Bay Railway Company, for a house which Joe Surprenant is building for Fred Brown.

Raser's Extract Root Beer, the purest

You can get the best 10-cent or two-for-a-quarter cigars in Astoria at Chas. Olsen's.

The Committee of nine appointed for the purpose of investigating the taxation question are requested to meet at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

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

Cigars of the choicest brands, including the Belmont, Flor de Madrid, and Wedding Bouquet can be had at Frank Rogers & Co.'s store.

The resignation of Miss Campbell, one of the most efficient of the teachers at Court street school, has been received by the school directors. The young lady will teach at Warrenton during the summer.

There is no place in Astoria where John Kopp's famous beer is kept in such good condition as at Utzinger's popular resort.

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

William Simpson, who was up before Judge Cleveland yesterday on a charge of assault and battery committed on the person of his wife, was fined $20, or in default sentenced to ten days imprisonment in the county jail.

The Children's Guild of Grace church will give an entertainment Thursday June 15th at 2:30 o'clock. Fancy articles and ice cream for sale. Admission 10 cents children 5 cents.

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

A report was current in town yesterday that three more fishermen had been drowned, but inquiry at the canneries failed to corroborate the rumor.

On account of the severity of the weather there were not a great many men out, although some were seen in hazardous positions during the day.

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

Owners of horses can purchase Campbell's Hoof Remedy, and all the Columbia Veterinary Remedies at Fred. Salz' Saddlery establishment.

The Grand Lodge of Masons convened in Portland yesterday. Temple Lodge, No. 7, of this city, was to have been represented by Messrs. Short, Howell and Bartholomew, but on account of the inability of Messrs. Howell and Bartholomew to attend, B. Van Dusen and Dr. Jay Tuttle supplied their places.

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

Parties called upon to perform the sad duties to relatives or friends will find both moderate charges and courteous treatment at the undertaking establishment of William Pohl. Do not mistake the address: Third street, between Cass and Main.

Captain Mathews of the tug Columbia, when coming up from the mouth of the river yesterday afternoo, saw a boat drifting on the eastern edge of Peacock spit, and at once headed the steamer in that direction. As he approached he saw signals of distress flying, and was just in time to save the occupants of the boat from a watery grave. Captain Mathews was compelled to get pretty close to the spit, but preferred to do so rather than watch the men perish. The boat was No. 15, belonging to the Megler cannery.

On Tuesday there were three boats in all capsized, viz: the one from which Horton was drowned, Elmore's boat containing McCrake and Brown, and one which was wrecked near Sand Island. In the latter case the men were washed up on the island nothing the worse for their terrible experience.

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

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

The following passengers arrived from Portland yesterday morning by the steamer Potter: J. G. Colman, W. S. Short, J. W. Master, N. Berg, Dr. Baker, Wm. Barker, L. Jacobs, Mr. Glenn, J. W. Conn and wife, Miss Edith Conn, Martin Ford and wife, J. D. Coleman, Mr. Ford, F. L. Taylor, F. S. Skinner, J. Howard, W. J. Hess.

The committee met yesterday morning and decided to postpone the Pioneer Picnic until Wednesday next at ten o'clock a. m.

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

On Tuesday morning the boat of Peter McCrake and Peter Brown, fishing for the Elmore cannery, was capsized in the breakers near the Republic spit. The occupants were picked up by two of Megler's men, and the boat secured by the Fort Canby Life-Saving crew. They lost nothing, with the exception of about fifty fathoms of net.

Lost—A new net, about 200 fathoms long, with marks "C. C." on lead lines. Finder will be rewarded by returning to Columbia River Packing Company.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Murray of Ilwaco are in the city.

Mr. O. W. Howard of Fort Canby came up to town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bain came down from the metropolis yesterday.

Mrs. Ross was a passenger on the Potter yesterday from Portland.

Mr. P. Eldridge of St. Louis was a guest at the Occident yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Coleman of Portland were visiting in this city yesterday.

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

Miss Burns returned last night on the steamer Mendell from a visit to Fort Stevens.

Mrs J. C. Trullinger was a passenger on the Thompson from Portland yesterday afternoon.

Miss Bertha R. Welch, who has been atending school at St. Mary's Academy, returned home yesterday morning.

Word was received from Mr. J. N. Griffin, yesterday stating that he and Mrs. Griffin would leave for Chicago shortly after the date of his letter (June 6th). Mr. and Mrs. Griffin are well, but complain of the warm weather.

Mrs. J .W. Conn and daughter Edith returned from Portland yesterday morning, where they have been attending the commencement exercises of St. Mary's Academy. Miss Edith, who is one of the graduating class of '94, was the recipient of the alumnae gold medal awarded for prose composition. She also received a renewal, by means of a bar, of the medal for music which was given last year.

CAUTION TO CUSTOMERS.

Nothing of original or superior merit but has its imitations and counterfeits, even to imperiling the health of communities. For this reason the proprietors of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters caution their patrons to scrutinize every bottle offered (and it is sold only in bottles), and verify its many marks of genuineness.

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A STRANGE CEREMONY.

The Pasha's Account of a Football Match in London.

Commander of the faithful, may thy shadow never decrease! I have this day seen a strange ceremony of these English Giaours, which will doubtless interest you. Know, then, that there is within the precincts of this mighty city (London), the like for which the world has never seen for majesty and greatness, a sacred place, set apart by the priests, called the Oval, wherein many religious rites, peculiar to these idolators, are carried out.

And these observances vary with the seasons, insomuch that in the hot days, when the climate more nearly approaches that of my beloved Bagdad, one kind of ceremony is performed, while in the cold and rainy season all the people take part in the strange proceedings which I saw but yesterday.

I and my young man did partake of our midday meal, and were then conveyed by means of a fast caravan, rolling on rails of iron, to the gates of this temple of the gods. At the entrance there was found a large crowd of worshippers, jostling each other in their eagerness to gain admission within.

Ere passing the solemn archway, we, like others, deposited our gifts in the alms-boxes to propitiate the gods, and we found ourselves within the midst of a large enclosure and of a mighty throng. In the center of the people a space was made bounded with poles and banners, and hung with ropes, and at each end were gateways of wood of a height greater than the stature of any man, and white, glistening saplings were bound above with thongs. Around two sides of the space were rows of seats, the one above the other, where the most wealthy of the people congregated.

And as I looked, behold! a troop of priests, clad in bright raiment, leaped within the enclosed space, bearing with them a small globe of leather, within which were imprisoned evil gods whose authority the people defied, and who were brought out for a public ordinance every seven days. And, lo! There stood also, two other priests bearing silver wands, and one taller than all the rest, carried in his hand a golden instrument of shrill sound, with which he encouraged the weary, admonished the idle, and directed the ceremony.

And, behold! The priests or dervishes danced to and fro, and threw the globe the one to the other, and did spurn it with their feet; and all the people shouted and said: "Great is the North End!" and the others replied: "But greater are they of Corinth." And the dervishes waxed hot, and their fury increased, until the foam fell from their lips, and their actions were like those of madmen. Yet there was no slackness in their going!

This continued, methinks, for the space of more than one hour, until, exhausted with their labors, the priests ceased, and then with singing and chanting and the sounds of music, the dervishes did retire to the door of one of the wooden temples, while all the people made acclamation; and, lo! the door closed upon them, and I saw them no more.

But as I and my sword-bearers turned to depart, there saw we, on [illegible] hand, some who rejoiced greatly, and others who were utterly cast down, and they did pass the one to the other pieces of silver and pieces of gold, many with great ravings and unholy revilings. This was the ceremony which I beheld; and as I gazed, lo! I was alone, and a eunich, clad in blue, with a staff in his hand, followed me to the gates.

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