ABOUT THE CITY.

The ship Landseer has begun loading wheat in Portland.

An $80 lot for $2.

Ice cream and soda at Smith's today.

A daughter has been born to the wife of Robert Robertson of Upper Astoria.

For $2 a lot is delivered every week to the buyer in Hill's first addition.

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

John Eyles, charged with gambling, forfeited $50 bail in the police court yesterday.

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

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

The Ocklahama and the Willamette Chief are to do the towing for the Union Pacific, this fall.

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

Don't stew your fruits over a hot stove. Preserve them without cooking. Foard & Stokes will tell you how.

Rev. R. B. Dilworth has accepted an invitation to occupy the pulpit of Calvary Church, Portland, on Sunday next.

Ladies, ask Foard & Stokes how to preserve fruits.

Men of small means can buy real estate in Hill's first addition.

John Susene, arrested on a charge of drunkenness and disorderly conduct, forfeited $10 in the police court yesterday.

Hill's first addition is located in the centre of the city. Lots are now selling in it for $2.

Dry hemlock wood delivered at $3.25 per cord by C. W. Everest, Alderbrook. Leave orders with Ben Coe, care of this office. Terms cash.

The British bark Cupila has been in port for twelve months past, and the date of her departure has not yet been fixed.

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

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

Fay, the little daughter of Mr. J. Lieberman, was lost last night, and up to a late hour her whereabouts had not been discovered.

What is Antifermentine? Ask Foard & Stokes.

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

The third drawing of Hill's lot club last night resulted in the success of John Grover and Joseph Leis, who obtained lots 7 and 8 respectively in the addition.

There is no risk taken by joining Hill's lot clubs. Everybody gets the full value of their money.

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

Invitations are out for a literary entertainment and dance to be given by the Ancient Order of Foresters at Odd-Fellows, Hall on Wednesday evening, the 16th inst.

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

Elder Josiah Crouch, pastor of the Baptist church at Oysterville, Wash., will preach at the Baptist church in Astoria, Sunday, August 20th, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Parties visiting in Portland can get The Daily Astorian at Handley & Haas' news stand, 159 First street.

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

A gill net with buoys marked J. Sipola. one half Barbour's and one half Marshall's twine, was lost in the middle channel Tuesday night. Apply at Elmore's cannery.

Call at the Astoria Real Estate Exchange and get a lot in Hill's first addition for $2.

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

Among the visitors at the Occident, passing through on their way to Seaside yesterday was Mr. F. W. Roebling, a son of the famous New York bridge builder who was chief of construction of the Brooklyn Bridge.

Preserve your fruits without cooking, by using antifermentine. For sale by Foard & Stokes.

Mitchell Coltman, aged 12, and Lester Mason, aged 9, who were arrested by Captain Hallock on Tuesday evening on a charge of larceny, were up before Judge Osburn yesterday. The case was taken under advisement pending the receipt of news from the Reform School as to the accommodations in that institution.

Your fruits will not ferment if you use Antifermentine. For sale by Foard & Stokes.

Special National Bank Examiner Wightman has begun his investigation into the affairs of the Commercial National Bank of Portland, and will have his report completed next week. Accountants are also at work upon the inventory of the Portland Savings Bank and the Northwest Loan and Trust Company, but it is expected that their work will not be completed for some time.

At The Monogram you can find fragrant Belmont, Wedding Bouquet, Flor de Madrid and all other choice and favorite brands of cigars.

The following communication comes from Chairman W. W. Parker of the Water Commission: "Lest some persons who are not overburdened with city taxes should lose sleep through fear of the loss of money by the Water Commission, it may be stated that the bondsmen on the Water Commission's treasurer's bond are easily worth, in first class real estate in this city, five times the amout of water-works funds in said treasurer's keeping."

The police were busy last night searching for four young miscreants who during the last few nights have been sleeping in the open air and committing all kinds of petty depredations. Two of them, George Gorman and Walter Brown, were caught by Officer Thomson in Colonel Taylor's barn. The others are still at large. All four led by Gorman, whose father was once well known here, came over from Tacoma last week. How they have lived in the meantime nobody seems to know.

The match game of football last night, as was expected, proved to be the most interesting that has been played during the present season, and from beginning to end was anybody's victory. The grand-stand was filled with a hundred enthusiastic ladies who cheered and applauded every piece of good play very heartily. Of course those among the spectators who were represented on the field kept an eager eye on their champions and led the shouts of approval that came almost incessantly during the game. The match was very fast and at times highly exciting, several scrimmages near the grand-stand goal supplying plenty of fun and bringing out some excellent play. The Black and Gold team carried their colors to victory, scoring two goals (both kicked in the first half) to their opponents' one. This score, however, by no means represents the closeness of the struggle, for Addis, who kept goal for the Blacks, stopped several magnificent shots made by his opponents. Tallent, Ridehalgh, J. Carruthers, and Small played a brilliant game throughout for Mrs. Stokes and her party of ladies, while Higgins, Addis, Spittle, and Smith were a tower of strength to the winning team, represented by Mrs. Elmore and her eleven ladies. One of the pleasing features of the game was the excellent work done by the new players, proving conclusively that the raw material of the club is capable of very high development. Mr. Frank Gunn umpired as usual, and his decisions were prompt and unchallenged throughout. At the close of the game a beautifful bunch of roses was presented by Mrs. W. L. Robb to Mrs. C. W. Fulton, the captain (by proxy) of the winning side.

The Astorian is in receipt of the following amusing letter:

Almost as soon as the World's Fair at Chicago had opened, a titled two-legged animal of the human species, calling himself "Duc de Veragua," turned up, having come all the way from Spain. In that favored land he had been known as a quiet sort of a country gentleman, who, once in a while, went to Madrid to kow-tow to the ruling monarch, and for the rest of his time bred a ferociously superior stock of bulls for fighting purposes, but he went broke at Paris. He claims to be a descendant of C. Columbus, the intelligent gentleman who balanced an egg on its end, by smashing it down a little bit, and who afterward distinguished himself by discovering America. It wasn't his fault; but purely his good luck, that blundered him to the West India end of the Caribbean archipelago, for he had set out to go to quite a different country, taking a short cut oversea to avoid the tedium and dangers of the Cape of Good Hope. But, some six hundred ascertained years after the Scandinavians had been familiar with the Northeastern coast of North America and planted colonies there, the Genoese came along in two or three caravals and sailing westward, bumped against some islands whose existence had previously been ignored on the admiralty charts. In other words, Chris. discovered America.

As far as the public is concerned, it may be said to have been a fortunate discovery, for if our Italian friend had not set out on his journey to the far Indies and the land of Prester John, we might have been born in Europe or in ignorance; we might have been born a girl, or we might not have been born at all.

So much we owe to C. Columbus.

Whether the debt is one merely of gratitude, or whether it is of so serious a nature as to impose a pecuniary obligation on us Americans is the tie between the American people and the Duc de Veragua. His noble nibs thinks he has a sort of moral mortgage on the wealth of the United States, and that the holders thereof, from one dollar a day up to the Astorbilts and Havensack's should chip in and give him a fund of a million or two or six, to clear his bull breeding grounds of debt, and secure to him and his progeny a loafing capital of forty or fifty thousand dollars a year—more than sufficient to supply bed, board, and shelter to two hundred American families, to say nothing of single individuals. He does not claim to have been of any use or advantage to us. In fact none of us ever heard of his ducal jobiots until a few months ago; but, because he has condescended to be a descendant of Christoforo Columbo, and to have graced this plebian land with his illustrious presence, "we, the people," should and must come down with the cold cash in his behalf.

Not much!

There may be some infernal fool tuft-hunters and title-worshippers, unworthy of birth in a republic which gave great lives and good money to free from monarchical rule and aristocratic imposition, who will be glad to patronize "blue blood" by subscribing to the Veragua relief fund. All such should be classed with fraudulently imported Chinamen and be deported, even at the expense of the nation. Forty years ago there was a little of that snobbishness in America; just enough to furnish a text for the ridicule of clever writers; but now we have specimens of degenerate man and womanhood sufficiently numerous to make a gratuity to the Dude de Kaklak, or the Count de Plunder, or the Lord Nozoo, an actual possibility. How to get rid of them or of that anti-republican tendency is a more serious problem than is presented in the silver or tariff questions, and in its solution more vitally depends the perpetuity of this republic.

Yours, etc.

H. K. Y.

J. W. Thomson organist at the M. E. church gives lessons in music, piano and organ. Organs tuned and repaired. Address 589 Astor street, Astoria.

The best and only sure way to preserve fruits is with Antifermentine. For sale by Foard & Stokes.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. W. J. Idleman, of Portland, came down the river yesterday morning.

Mr. M. McAuley, of Eagle Cliff, was a guest at the Occident yesterday.

Mr. H. F. L. Logan, of Elk Creek, is in the city.

Mr. J. Phillips, of San Francisco, arrived in this city yesterday.

Mr. Jas. D. Murray, of Hwaco, is at the Occident.

Mr. G. B. Reed, of Denver, was among the arrivals in town yesterday.

Mr. J. C. Wolf, of Silverton, Or., is a guest at the Occident.

Dr Estes will leave for the beach tomorrow morning. For the next few weeks he will be in this city on Wednesdays and Saturdays only.

The Library Association has been the recipient of numerous favors since their last public acknowledgement, among them the lettering of the windows by Mr. Allen, paint furnished by Messrs. Carnahan and Fisher, $21.75 from the football club, the proceeds of two games, city water from the water commission, and a large number of books from friends.

The Bee Hive, this week, will sell all summer goods at great reduction.—Boys tennis oxfords 50 cents per pair; ladies sleeveless vests 10 cents each; mull caps, 10 cents each; lawn 5 cents per yard.

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

I won't be under sold on wall paper. Always as low as the lowest. The best stock to select from in the city. B. F. Allen, Third street.

Water colors, crayons and sepias crayons, copying and enlarging, a specialty at Crow's gallery, 633 Third street.

Lovers of a good cigar can always find mild, fresh Belmonts at Chas. Olsen's.

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

GAINED TEN POUNDS.

Gentlemen,—I am subject to periodical attacks of sick headache of the worst possible type, anr commenced taking Krause's Headache Capsules last summer. They cure it in every instance, and since that time I am enjoying splendid health and have gained ten pounds in weight. Yours truly,

F. M. DANIELS,
Corwith, Iowa.

For sale by Chas. Rogers, Astoria, Oregon. Sole Agent.

PICNIC.

Round trip ticket 50 cents, children half fare. Members of the Sunday school free. Bring your lunch basket—bring a large one—bring it full. The above applies to bathing suits. Appetites furnished on the beach free.

Good bathing, beach and ocean and river—near jetty and old fort.

Capacity limited. Apply early for tickets at Ross, Higgins & Company, or Parker & Hanson. Steamer leaves promptly at 9 p. m. from the Electric dock.

All the patent medicines advertised in this paper, together with the choicest perfumery, and toilet articles etc., can be bought at the lowest prices at J. W. Conn's drug store, opposite Occident hotel, Astoria.

DR. GUNN'S IMPROVED LIVER PILLS ONLY ONE FOR A DOSE

IS YOUR STOMACH SOUR, Breath bad or Head aching? One of these pills relieves distress in the stomach and cures headache, one each night for a week sweetens the stomach and purifies the breath. They insure perfect digestion, regulate the bowels and cure constipation. They act promptly, yet mildly, never gripe or sicken. 250 at Druggists or mail. Boscnko Med. Co., Phila., Pa.

For sale by J. W. Conn, Druggist.

DR. PRICE'S Cream Baking Powder.

The only Pure Cream of Tartar Powder. No Ammonia; No Alum. Used in Millions of Homes—40 Years the Standard.

JEFF'S, The Only Restaurant.

FOR SALE.

CHEAP A FEW CHOICE LOTS IN ADAIR'S Astoria-Easy terms. See Frank Spittle attorney at law 173 Cass Street.

FOUND.

ABOUT 100 FATHOMS OF NET OFF THE jetty, between buoys No. 4 and No. 6. Enquire of Captain J. W. Brown, steamer Geo. H. Mendell.

NET FOUND—ON THURSDAY NIGHT, August 3, in ship channel below Smith's Point, about 250 fathoms net. Loser can fine it at Pacific Union Cannery.

LOST.

ABOUT 200 FATAOMS NET. FINDER ENquire at Cutting Packing Co., or JOHN S. ARK.

ON THE NIGHT OF AUGUST 7TH, ABOUT 300 fathoms net 44 mesh deep at each end, 45 mesh deep in middle, corks marked O. P. C. and H. S. finder will be liberaly rewarded by notifying at Columbia Cannery.

ROOMS TO RENT.

ROOMS WITH BOARD AT REASONABLE rates. Also, cottage of six rooms to rent. Inquire of Mrs. E. C. Holden, corner Main and Jefferson streets.

FURNISHED HOUSE OF 12 ROOMS, CENtrally located. Inquire at this office.

MISCELLANEOUS.

CALL ON P. BAKER, 478 THIRD STREET and have your clothes dyed and cleaned.

GEO. McLEAN, CORNER OLNEY AND Astor streets, does a general business in blacksmithing and repairing.

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Accounts of Firms and Individuals solicited on Favorable Terms.
Foreign and Domestic Exchange bought and sold.
Money Loaned on Personal security.
Interest paid on Time Deposits as follows:
For 3 months, 4 per cent per annum.
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A SAVINGS DEPARTMENT

Having been established in connection with the above, deposits will be received in amounts of one dollar and upward.
Interest will be allowed as follows: On ordinary savings books, 4 per cent per annum; on term savings books, 6 per cent per annum.

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J. E. Higgins, Cashier.
J. C. Dement, Vice President.
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GRAND ANNUAL

EXCURSION And Picnic

Given by the

Scandinavian Benevolent Society,

TO SEASIDE,

Sunday, Aug 13, 1893

Games, Music and Dancing

Will constitute the festivities of the day.

Music by Utzinger's Band.

The commodious and popular boat Telephone will leave Flavel's wharf at 8:30 a. m. sharp.
Tickets, $1.00 for round trip, including ball in Fisher's Hall in the evening.
Children under 10 years free when accompanied by their parents, not otherwise.

COMMITTEE:
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FOR SALE BY AUCTION

On SATURDAY, AUGUST 12th,

At 2 p. m. at the auction rooms of

MARTIN OLSEN

Second Street.

Latest improved and new machinery for the manufacture of soda water. A grand opportunity to establish a lucrative business at small cost. Don't forget the day.

The Store of John G. Niemi

Has been purchased by

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Who are going to close out the stock. Intending purchasers will do well to call and examine goods and prices before purchasing elsewhere. They also have a good watchmaker to do repairing.

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HARDWARE, IRON, STEEL,
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Rates Reasonable. Embalming a Specialty.

The Bottom Has Dropped Out

If the bottom has dropped out, I, for one, intend to hold on to what is left. Therefore I shall sell—until times improve on the Columbia—all lines of **Men's and Boy's Clothing,** comprising my new fall lines of American and Imported cloth at **25 per cent. less than my regular retail prices,** which is from 16 2-3 to 33 1-3 less than elsewhere. I do not intend to be undersold in any line of **Clothing, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes,** or in any article of **Furnishing Goods** for man or boy.

A child buys as cheap as the most experienced buyer.

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$2 For an $80 Lot

By becoming a member of Hill's Lot Clubs you can get a first-class lot in Hill's First Addition to Astoria. Lots will be delivered weekly. Now is the time to procure a lot to build a home, for $2

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Blank Books, Fine Stationery,
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New Goods arriving daily. Low Prices for Cash.

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Continued till old stock is closed out at cost. New Goods arriving sold at liberal discount.

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$35.00

Buys the latest improved White Sewing Machine at FOARD & STOKES'.

CALIFORNIA WINE HOUSE,

FINE WINES AND LIQUORS

I have made arrangements for supplying any brand of wines in quantities to suit at lowest cash figures. The trade and families supplied. All orders delivered free in Astoria.

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Rates $1 and $1 25 per day. Good accommodations. Clean beds a specialty. You are invited to call. Free bus meets all steamboats.

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Bohemian - Lager - Beer

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All orders promptly attended to.

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