

Tide Table for June. Table with columns for Date, High Water, Low Water, and P.M. Tides.

YESTERDAY'S WEATHER. Maximum temperature, 65 degrees. Minimum temperature, 50 degrees. Precipitation, none.

THE WEATHER TODAY. Portland, Or., June 14.—For Washington and Idaho: Fair weather; warmer; light to fresh variable winds.

AROUND TOWN. There are five sailors now in the marine ward at St. Mary's hospital.

Astorians are thankful that the telephone wires are up and working.

"The Streets of New York" will be repeated tonight by special request.

Shipping news was dull yesterday, not a clearing being made through the custom house.

Orders can be left at Carnahan's store for the Astoria Wood Yard for all kinds of fuel.

A large and fashionable audience witnessed the Stutz performance of "The Streets of New York" last night.

Go to the Astoria Wood Yard for the best kinds of wood; also best grades of coal delivered in quantities to suit.

The Camera Club's entertainment netted the sum of \$50. This amount will go towards the purchase of a dissolving lantern.

Attend the Library "Tea" at Mrs. Samuel Elmore's, this afternoon, and show your interest in one of Astoria's best institutions.

Yesterday morning the river at Portland had fallen 2.12 feet from its highest point. It is going down at the rate of 8 inches every 24 hours.

The boy Caspar Brunold, who had his thumb sawed off at the Clatsop Mill Co.'s box factory, has so far recovered as to be able to return to work.

For a delicious plate of pure ice cream, go to C. B. Smith, the Ice Cream Dealer. Ice Cream Soda a specialty. Private parlors for ladies. 433 Third street.

Do you need a pair of shoes? Call on us and bring your feet with you. 'Tis a feat to fit the feet, and we have the salesman who know how. Goodman & Co.

Mr. Wall, whose house in Uppertown was ruined last spring by a landslide, is now building for himself a \$1,500 dwelling between Eighth and Ninth streets.

Miss Ella Nelson, who has been residing with her brother in Alderbrook, and attending school there, gave an enjoyable party to a few of her schoolmates last evening.

Mr. C. W. Stone, agent of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company, received a telegram yesterday stating that the company's lines were open for passenger and freight business again.

From interviews with the salmon packers at Astoria, and along the Columbia river, it is estimated that the "pack" of '94 will fall short of last year's by more than 100,000 cases.

We are out gunning for the man who says he can't get his watch repaired without sending it to San Francisco. Why, we run a regular "Watch Hospital" and repair all kinds of breaks, at Niemi's Jewelry Store.

M. Olsen will sell at his auction rooms on Saturday, at 11 o'clock, a lot of family furniture consisting of bedroom sets, mattresses, chairs, an extension table, writing desk, etc. These goods must be sold to the highest bidder, as the owner is going to leave the city.

OATH OF OFFICE. The county clerk has issued certificates of office to the successful candidates at the late election. With them is sent the following oath, which each officer must take before entering upon the duties of his office.

"I, being first duly sworn, say I will support the constitution of the United States and the state of Oregon, and faithfully discharge my duty while in office as _____, so help me God."

This oath is but a trifle shorter than the deeds made by Judge Olney in 1867, when he sold his extensive holdings in the city of Astoria.

A SUCCESSFUL OPERATION. Mr. Packwood brought his 13-year-old son over from Young's river to this city and had a surgical operation performed upon his left leg by Dr. Jay Tuttle. The result was entirely satisfactory, and the little fellow has been taken home.

BALL SEASON OPENED. Great enthusiasm was aroused on the hill last evening by a game of baseball between the Poverty Hollows and the Knob Hill nines.

Judge Gray acted as umpire, and upon several occasions was compelled to pull his gun to back up his decisions. The Poverty Hollow boys had a full nine out, while the Knob Hillers were short two men, and yet the former club was beaten, the score standing 17 to 6.

The following are the names of those who composed the clubs and their relative positions: For the Poverty Hollows—John McCue, c.; Walter Lighthouse, Robb, p.; Harry Goodenough Smith, f. b.; Frank Lightfoot Parker, 2d b.; George Washington Sanborn, 3d b.; John Noe, George Griffin, l. f.; George Handsome George, c. f., and another fellow for right field who, when last seen, was running for a ball knocked by the other side, and had not yet returned when the game broke up.

The Knob Hillers were made up with Charles Rightaway Higgins, c.; Benjamin Sorrell Worsley, p.; Fred Whittingham, f. b.; Richard Goodplayer Pral, 2d b.; Richard Goodplayer Pral, 3d b.; Frank Inspiration Dunbar, c. f.

NOTES. The sun dodged behind the clouds on purpose to keep out of Pitcher Robb's eyes, but he was in favor of the other side all the time, as the score will show.

Brenham Van Dusen, the star player of the Poverty Hollows, was not playing, having stopped a ball the night before with his finger nail, but he was on hand and greeted each hit of his comrades with a lusty bawo.

Ben Woraley has a rather puzzling delivery—something like a mull clerk at the postoffice, who tosses Jennie Jenks' love letter through the air in circular fashion, but brings it up at the right box. He struck out nine men, and the smile never left his face from start to finish.

Capt. Dunbar was a trifle unsteady in his play as a fly catcher, but is tricky and a good bluffer, which are good qualities as a field captain.

Slide, Pral, slide! slid a place from his trousers, where a Cleveland badge will have to go.

Curt Trenchard was not playing, as he had undertaken to run his engagement ring finger through a fly ball the day before, and the ball wasn't soft enough.

There may be flies on a great many people, but there are none on friend George Sanborn in stealing bases. He lights on his feet every time.

Nobody threw rocks at Judge Gray on leaving the grounds, and he was permitted to go down town last night unharmed.

POLICE NOTES. S. Lita was fined \$20 for vagrancy. He wants the fine remitted and promises to leave the city.

John Doe forfeited his bail of \$10 by non-appearance.

DO NOT FORGET. The Library Association "Tea," at Mrs. Samuel Elmore's residence, corner of Court and Benton streets, from 2 to 5 o'clock this afternoon. Some good selections of music, both instrumental and vocal, are promised by our best local talent.

EXTENSIVE IMPROVEMENTS. Contractor Liddlest has almost completed the improvements on the residence of Mr. J. E. Higgins. The roof has been rained, refinished and plastered throughout and a new kitchen added. The cost of the improvements will be in the neighborhood of \$1,500.

UPPERTOWN SCHOOL. There will be an interesting program rendered today at the Uppertown school, this being the closing day of that school. The exercises will commence at 1:30 p. m., and as all parents and friends of pupils are invited it is to be hoped there will be a good attendance.

OUT AGAIN. On her last trip from California one of the crew of the steamer Columbia, a boy named John Peters, fell into the hold, cutting a deep gash on his forehead over the left eye. He was left here under a surgeon's care, and has got along so nicely he will be able to return on the steamer the next trip.

A DOUBLE COMPLIMENT. Miss A. C. Jewell, of Ann Arbor, and Maud E. Devey, of Detroit, Mich., who have been stopping at the Occident, were so profuse in their compliments on the china used on the tables, that Mine Host Mezer felt called upon to present each of them with a blue and white cup and saucer as a memento of their visit.

"SEA QUEEN." A Theatrical Troup. The above combination, comprising over 40 artists, will appear at Liberty hall Monday night, June 18. The citizens will have an opportunity of witnessing one of the largest and most elaborate spectacular productions ever seen in the city.

Manager Stutz is having Liberty Hall wired for both incandescent and arc lights, in order to give the scenery—of which there will be tons—as good a display as possible. The performance consists of opera, drama, music, terpsichore and transformation scenes—the most gorgeous ever seen here. Regular combination prices will prevail. Sale of seats commences Saturday morning at box office, Liberty hall. Two matinees will be given—Wednesday and Saturday afternoons.

THE TRUTH ABOUT IT. (Continued from First Page.)

to point to most serious danger as the summer progresses and the water subsides. Many hundreds of people were forced to avoid the vicinity mentioned and to seek a route to their destinations free from both water and the germs of disease.

Right over some of the gratings fruit and meats are displayed for sale. Over the whole of the flooded district is gradually arising an enervating, slimy smell of partially stagnant water, apart from the offensive odor of the more poisonous sediment imprisoned under the sidewalks and cellars.

The asphalt on Washington street, near the river, more particularly between the car tracks, is breaking up fast, and the square stone pavements are also being destroyed. When the water leaves them it looks as if most of them will have to be completely rebuilt.

A considerable amount of ingenuity has been exercised by several of the small storekeepers who have been washed out by the ruthless flood. They have lifted counters and stores bodily several feet in the air, and then connected with the raised sidewalks by plank bridges. You can go and eat your dinner and get shaved in the lower end of Third street with five feet of water swishing under your feet.

Thousands of yards of linoleum on office floors have been turned to a soft pulp by the action of the water. An enterprising Astoria druggist has made arrangements to unload a big quantity of disinfectant on the citizens of Portland when he thinks they are ready for it.

The river has fallen a few inches today. There is a theory about it, that the hot weather will bring down more water, but it is not generally believed here that the river will rise again this year, as the bulk of the snow is gone. No recurrence of the present top water mark is looked for by the weather authorities, at least for the present.

Tomorrow I will forward the first installment of a compilation being carefully made for The Astorian of the losses by the flood, and the approximate amount of their losses. This list will be correct in all particulars, and will show without a doubt the extent of harm done to Portland's commercial men, and to the city itself, by the suspension and temporary suppression of business.

First and Front streets, the very center of the devastation, and where the destruction is greater than anywhere else, will be visited tomorrow. A casual inspection of these two thoroughfares today reveals a sight not often witnessed in a civilized city. For nine blocks, containing all the most important of Portland's produce and commission houses, the wreck is deplorable. The finest fitted up retail stores in the place lie on First street, in the vicinity indicated, and here, too, things will need a considerable amount of detailed description.

Astoria was well represented here today, and the city seemed to be full of down river men, who were taking in all they could see of the flooded district. "That appalling editorial against The Astorian in this morning's Oregonian," as somebody designated it, came in for a good deal of criticism among the crowd in one of the hotels, and there was considerable laughter over its language. Its statement "that The Astorian's argument is too pitiful for a reply," and the necessity of replying, notwithstanding, to the extent of half a column of valuable editorial space, struck the home men as a rather funny mixture.

Sherman Pinnell and another young Astorian were playing a big boat across Third street all day, and seemed to be earning the shakels in lively style. Judge Page, whose avocation is considerable, was riding his neck and making Astoria run the risk of losing her collector of customs, by braying the cracks in the elevated sidewalks, as if he had never walked in any other way since his boyhood. Close behind him, came Sheriff Smith and Fred Oberg, exchanging greetings at every corner and jumping over the loose places like born gymnasts.

Nelson was lying in his Whitehall in a snug corner on Washington street, basking in the shade, as if he were enjoying his usual shade under Flavel's dock. I asked him how he found business, and he said he was making expenses, with a little more thrown in. Kinney's model boat from the world's fair was an object of interest to many people in the vicinity of Oak street, and Wade Hampton Smith was gazing at it placidly and looking as calm as if it was an every day occurrence to see a fishing craft hugging the top of a plate glass window. He looks on the Portland flood just "so-so," and takes that box, as a matter of course. I really believe Mr. Smith is a fatalist, except probably on the subject of cows.

Frank Cook and Messrs. Gearhart, Fisher and Dan Welch were round town a good deal. All of these, with the exception of the turned down candidate for recorder, are in attendance at the courthouse, being members of the United States grand jury. They are booked here till the 30th of July, and are not the hapless men alive by any means. None of them are bugling themselves over the prospect of another month in Portland.

NOTICE. All debts now due the undersigned and remaining unpaid as of the 1st of sixty days from this date will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. J. D. McFARLANE.

REASSORTED STOCK RELIABLY MADE AT REDUCED PRICES

TO PAY CREDITORS.

The Herman Wise CLOTHING STORE.

BOARD AND LODGING. FIRST CLASS BOARD—With or without rooms, at reasonable rates. Apply at E. C. Holden's, corner Main and Jefferson.

WANTED. WANTED—A girl to do housework at 375 Sixteenth street. Apply at this office.

SALESMEN WANTED—Free paid outfit. One of our agents has earned over \$20,000 in five years. P. O. Box 1371, New York.

BRECKENRIDGE BOOK—Branch of promise. History of Breckinridge, 100,000 already sold. Outfit free. Agents wanted. W. H. FERGUSON CO., 6th street, Cincinnati, Ohio.

WANTED—Ladies and gentlemen make from \$3 to \$4 per day folding, addressing circulars and corresponding for me at their homes. Permanent position. For reply send self-addressed stamped envelope to J. W. Keller, Mishawaka, Ind. Author of "Hounds and Hares."

AGENTS—Makes \$5.00 a day. Great kitchen utensil ever invented. It falls 3 1/2 to 5 sold in every house. Sump, postage paid, five cents. Forsham & McMakin, Cincinnati, O.

\$75.00 PER WEEK using and selling Dynamos for plating watches, jewelry and tableware. Plates gold, silver, nickel, etc., same as new goods. Different sizes for agents, families and shops. Easily operated; no experience; big profits. W. P. Harrison & Co., Clerk No. 14, Columbus, Ohio.

FOR RENT. FOR RENT—Six room house furnished or unfurnished, water, bath, etc. Uppertown, in Adel's, Ogden avenue or Third street. Inquire at this office or at Mrs. A. Feakes.

FOR SALE. FOR SALE—180 acres of land near Knappa, Clatsop county. Price, \$1,000—\$100 down and balance to suit purchaser. Inquire of L. N. Mitchell, P. O. Knappa.

CHANCE FOR ALL—Men of small means can buy real estate in Hill's first addition.

LOTS FOR \$2—Call at the Astoria Real Estate Exchange and get a lot in Hill's First Addition for \$2.

FIREWORKS—Wing Lee has just received a full line of fireworks of all kinds, at all prices. 329 Third street.

SOCIETY MEETINGS. PILOT COMMISSIONERS—The regular meetings of this board will be held on the first Monday of each month at 10 a. m., at the office of Robb & Parker. W. L. Robb, Sec.

NOTICE—The regular meetings of the Astoria Building and Loan Association are held at 8 p. m., on the first Wednesday of each month. Office on Genevieve street, south of Chenamus. W. L. ROBB, Secretary.

OCEAN ENCAMPMENT No. 13, I. O. O. F.—Regular meetings of Ocean Encampment No. 13, in the Odd Fellows' Building, at 7 p. m., on the second and fourth Mondays of each month. Sojourning brethren cordially invited. By order C. P.

COMMON COUNCIL Regular meetings first and third Tuesday evenings of each month at 8 o'clock in city hall. Persons desiring to have matters acted upon by the council at any regular meeting must present the same to the auditor and clerk on or before the Friday evening prior to the Tuesday on which the council holds its regular meeting. K. OSBURN, Auditor and Police Judge.

LADIES, ATTENTION! Carpets beaten and replaced with the greatest dispatch by C. Axten. Leave orders at Porter's Furniture Store, No. 517 Second street.

ALCOHOL FOR SALE. ALCOHOL can be purchased at the White House Corner, in flask or bottle quantities. WRIGHT & HARRIS, Proprietors.

Many is the leading tailor and pays the highest cash price for fur skins: For \$2 a lot is delivered every week to the buyer in Hill's First Addition.

Hill's First Addition is located in the center of the city. Lots are now selling in it for \$2.

When baby is teething or feverish, ask your druggist for St-e-dman's Soothing Powders.

Japanese novelties and fancy dry goods, can be had at half price, at the store of Wing Lee, next to Olsen's cigar store.

H. Ekstrom has fixed his prices for jewelry to suit the times, and the latest novelties can be secured at the cost of material used in the manufacture.

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. Con's drug store, opposite Occident Hotel, Astoria.

Don't go to Portland to buy your tickets for the "Old Country" and the East when you can get them for the same price at the Union Pacific office in this city, and thereby save your local fare to Portland.

FIFTY DOLLARS reward for the body of David Beasley, aged 18, with smooth face, drowned in the Columbia river channel in front of Kinney's cannery, Thursday morning, June 8th. ALFRED KINNEY.

BUSINESS CARDS. A. GIBBONS, ADJUSTER OF ACCOUNTS and PROFESSIONAL BOOKKEEPER. Office, with General Messenger Co., 515 Squemoque street.

J. H. MANSELL, REAL ESTATE BROKER. Notary Public. Fire and accident insurance.

W. W. PARKER, REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE AGENT. Office, 112 Beaton street, Astoria, Or.

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

CALL ON P. BAKER, 478 Third St., and have your clothes dyed and cleaned.

WHEN IN PORTLAND—Call on Handley & Haas, 150 First street, and get the Daily Astorian. Visitors need not miss their morning paper while there.

YOUR FRIENDS IN EUROPE—If you have friends in Europe whose passage you wish to prepay to Astoria, call at the Northern Pacific office, steamer Telephone dock, and make known your wants. Reduced fare via all the leading steamship lines.

ARE YOU GOING EAST? Patronize the Northern Pacific railroad if you are going East. Low rates of fare, through tickets, baggage checked to destination. All purchasers of second-class tickets can stop over at Portland. Rates of fare same as from Portland.

IMMENSE SLAUGHTER OF GOODS

At the consignee sale, No. 600 Third st., cor. West 9th, is telling these hard times, and the people are not slow in taking advantage of these great bargains at this positively closing out sale.

Why think of it, a good suit of clothes for \$5, \$6.50, \$8.00, \$10.00, and \$12.50

That are worth from \$10.00 to \$25 a suit. And all other goods in proportion. The consumer saves at least forty per cent by purchasing at

The Consignee's Sale.

Remember these goods are all clean, fresh stock, and yet it is a forced sale. Don't forget the place, No. 600 Third Street, corner of West Ninth.

Do You Wish

To enrich your table economically? Here's a chance, at A. V. Allen's—English ware, and lots of it; Flower decorations of various sorts, and at quickstep prices. Modest-priced glassware, too, of course. The shelves are crowded with them. Corner of Cass and Squemoque Streets.

FREEMAN & BREMNER, Blacksmiths.

Special attention paid to steamboat repairing, first-class horseshoeing, etc. LOGGING CAMP WORK A SPECIALTY. 197 Olney street, between Third and Fourth, Astoria, Or.

G. CHRISTENSON

Is now manager at Geo. McLean's old stand, corner Olney and Astor streets, and is better prepared to all kinds of work in the line of BLACKSMITHING and HORSESHOEING than ever before.

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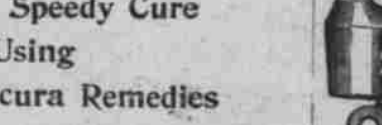
Gas and Steam Fitting, Hot Air, Steam and Water Heating. Agent for Champion Hydraulic Beer Pumps. 179 Twelfth street, Astoria, Or.

Str. OCCIDENT, CAPT. E. A. BEARD.

Having leased the steamer Occident, I have her painted and refitted, and am prepared to take Fishing and other parties at reasonable rates; also Towing of all kinds. Please give me a call. Orders left on board or with Mr. Chris. Johnson, at the Astoria Packing Co., will be promptly attended to.

A LOCK

Is something you want, if not today, you will want it sometime. We keep carpenter's tools too, and if this weather will only pull itself together you will want plenty of Hardware of which we have a plenty only waiting your call. J. B. WYATT, HARDWARE DEALER.



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