

THE MODERN TARARA-BOOM-DEAYE.

Tuesday night, going up the river on the Steamer Potter, many prominent Astorians made merry until the wee-small hours...

Friends and neighbors, we will sing A song that has a joyous ring - Of Unity, yes that's the thing...

Next on the program is the act which all of you know, is a fact; The Ball Road which we soon expect...

Some weeks ago, you made a call on Miss Astoria at her hall. You told her stories, oh so tall...

We'll bind our love with Railroad ties, With silver spikes so strong and nice...

HIGH SCHOOL EXERCISES.

The Term for 1904 Closed Yesterday Afternoon. The usual Friday afternoon exercises at the Court Street school were especially devoted to appropriate Christmas programs and decorations.

Primary and grammar schools presented attractive and interesting exercises to the many visitors who seemed to enjoy especially the delight of the wee tots who acquitted themselves so creditably in recitation, music, and impersonation of Santa Claus.

Santa Claus appeared on several of the boards in various attitudes, from descending the proverbial chimney to staggering under his usual yearly pack.

Teachers and pupils left the school rooms happy over the day's pleasure and with anticipation of the much-needed rest granted by the coming ten days' vacation.

Rooms 7 and 8 also conduct their exercises by means of an organized society, thus adding to the general literary work an excellent drill in parliamentary matters.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS.

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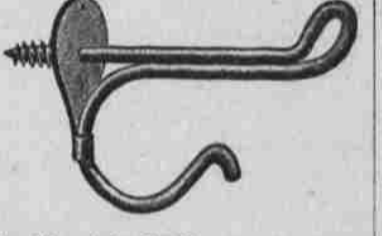


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