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YESTERDAY'S WEATHER.

Local weather for twenty-four hours ending at 5 p. m. yesterday, furnished by the United States Department of Agriculture, weather bureau. Maximum temperature, 51 degrees. Minimum temperature, 31 degrees. Precipitation, .35 inch. Total precipitation from September 1st, 1907, to date, 42.5 inches. Deficiency of precipitation from September 1st, 1907, to date, 11 inch.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

It is best tea is the best. Ask your grocer for it, and take no other. Meanly is the leading tailor, and pays the highest cash price for fur skins. For 25 cents you can secure an excellent well served meal at the Bon Ton Restaurant, No. 521 Commercial street. They are also fully prepared to serve all kinds of fish, game and all delicacies of the season as well as oysters in every imaginable style at the lowest living prices. Come once and you will continue to come.

Charles Wirrkala's saloon, on Astor and 7th streets, which has long been one of the most popular and best patronized drinking places in the city has been moved from its present location to the last immediately east of the Casino theatre. Many improvements will be added as Mr. Wirrkala intends keeping up the reputation his saloon has had since he assumed charge years ago. Only the best wines, liquors and cigars sold at the bar, a musical concert by the best talent in the city, under the leadership of Professor Schwabe, the well known pianist, given nightly. Call around and bring your friends with you.

Soothing, healing, cleansing, De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve is the enemy to sores, wounds and piles, which it never fails to cure. Stops itching and burning. Cures chapped lips and cold sores in two or three hours. Chase, Rogers.

SHILOH'S CURE, the great Cough and Croup Cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains twenty-five doses only 25 cents. Children love it. Sold by J. W. Conn.

A TWISTER.

A twister in twisting may twist him a twist. For in twisting a twist, three twists make a twist; but if one of the twists untwists from the twist, the twist untwists the twist. That is when it's twisted with any other twist than MARSHALL'S.

AN ENIGMATICAL BILL OF FARE.

For a dinner, served on the Dining cars of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway, will be sent to any address on receipt of a two cent postage stamp. Apply to Geo. H. Headford, General Passenger Agent, Old Colony Building, Chicago, Illinois.

SONS OF HERMANN.

At the Grand Masquerade Ball to be given by Teutonia Lodge No. 5, of the above order, on Thursday evening, February 13, at Fisher's Opera House, the following elegant prizes will be awarded:

For the most elegant lady's costume, first prize, a parlor lamp; second prize, an oxidized silver card receiver.

For the most elegant gentleman's costume, first prize, a gold-headed cane; second prize, a handsome toilet set.

For the best sustained lady character, first prize, gold in-laid card receiver; second prize, silver sugar bowl.

For the best sustained gentleman's character, first prize, a beautiful clock; second prize, a silk umbrella.

Admission—Gentlemen, in mask, \$1.00; ladies, masked, 50c.; spectators, 50c.; children under 12 years, 25c.

C. G. PALMBERG

Has opened an architect and drawing office in connection with his business as contractor and builder, and is now prepared to furnish estimates and plans for buildings of all kinds with accuracy and despatch. Don't fail to give him a call if you contemplate making improvements of any kind. Office, 473 Duane street.

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AROUND TOWN.

Storm, shine, and storm.

C. W. Cotton, of Portland, is in town.

A well-groomed woman always attracts attention.

Job printing of all kinds at the Astorian job office.

Use Marshall's: You take chances on the others.

Victor Stadelcker, of St. Paul, Minn., is in the city.

Colonel John Adair was over from Sunnyside yesterday.

Water rents are due and payable at the office of the clerk.

The festive collector was very much in evidence yesterday.

W. F. Knapp, of Chicago, is in Astoria and at the Occident.

G. C. Mosser, of Portland, registered at the Occident yesterday.

J. Severance, wife and daughter, of Wisconsin, are in the city.

Dr. G. F. Ball, Dentist, with lady assistant, office 313 1/2 street.

For the best of commercial job printing call at the Astorian job office.

James Findley left Friday evening for a visit to his home in Brooklyn, N. Y.

L. L. Rosenthal, a traveling man, of Chicago, Ill., was in the city yesterday.

Marshall's salmon twine is without a competitor. Strongest, handsomest, best.

You can get a No. 3 Fountain Syringe at Chas. Rogers' Drug Store for one dollar.

Don't think you haven't a friend in the world if you get a lot of bills tomorrow morning.

Twenty-five feet on Duane street in Block 4, McClure's, at a bargain. R. L. Boyle & Co.

James Williams, of Oakland, Cal., was in the city yesterday, and a guest at the Occident.

Just think of it! We have Ice-Cream Soda and something new today—Walnut Crisp, at the Spa.

The best cough cure made is the E. O. Cough Syrup, for sale at the Estes-Crain Drug Store.

A large crowd of people congregated on the Astorian corner to witness the elk's skyward journey.

A fine lot and residence cheap on the installment plan McClure's Astoria. A bargain. R. L. Boyle & Co.

Wednesday evening, the 5th inst., winds up the \$50 suit sale at Herman Wise's. Invest before you're too late.

Just received, at the Snow Bay Wood Yard, 15 cords of oak wood. The finest wood ever brought to Astoria.

FOR SALE—A quantity of household and kitchen furniture, in good order. Call or address 28 1/2 1/2 street, city.

This is the time of year for tickling in the throat; go to Rogers for a box of "Stop That Tickling," 10 cents.

Mrs. J. W. Conn and daughter, Miss Edith, returned yesterday morning from a three months' visit to California.

Albert Danielson, of Fort Stevens, passed through the city yesterday on his way to Portland on a short business trip.

Dumbarton's Irish fax salmon twine, superior to any on the market. Fisher Brothers, agents for the Columbia river.

Anti-nicotine Chewing Gum, the latest and best Tobacco Cure, only 25 cents a package at the Estes-Crain Drug Store.

A. J. Meier, mine host of the Occident, will slightly under the weather yesterday, but expects to be around all right today.

Parties desiring the best of job printing at the lowest prices should call at the Astorian job office before going elsewhere.

Go to 153 1/2 street to have your umbrellas repaired or recovered. A fine line of cover goods to select from at reasonable prices.

Mr. John R. Rathon, who for some time past has had charge of the marine department of the Astorian, resigned his position yesterday.

J. G. Ross, who has just been appointed junior of the Knights of Pythias hall, yesterday took the oath of office before the hall committee.

Mrs. T. A. Stephens and Miss Stephens, of Portland, and Miss Sheldon, of Walla Walla, arrived down on the Telephone yesterday afternoon.

The Congregational church is the place, Tuesday night is the time, and the Apollo Club concert the occasion that will attract Astoria's four hundred.

The Brooks and Macy entertainment to be given at the Methodist church tomorrow night, promises to be one of the finest entertainments of the season.

A telegram was received yesterday by Mr. VanEtten from Mr. E. J. Smith, stating that that gentleman would arrive in Astoria about the 16th inst.

Merchants yesterday generally reported business as being very good. Notwithstanding the fact that Saturday is a short day, collections were very fair.

Yesterday the members of the police department were paid their wages in cash. Just how they will be paid next month is a question that cannot now be decided.

Mr. J. O'Hara, of Warrenton, spent yesterday in the city. He says that outside of a little church difficulty, there is nothing of any interest stirring in that burg.

Katie Putnam is one of the few actresses who have been shown the compliment of honorary membership in the great and charitable order of Elks—the Best People O-n-Earth. Miss Putnam

WINDOW OF THE LODGE ROOM ON THE THIRD FLOOR, AND THE MOUNTED ELK WAS HOISTED TO THE WINDOW, WHERE AFTER MUCH CAJOLING AND THE DIFFICULTY OF THE WINDOW, IT WAS SUCCESSFULLY WITHIN THE SACRED CONFINES OF THE LODGE ROOM.

A very pleasant surprise party was tendered to the young men of the city, and Mrs. A. E. Carr, in honor of her sixth birthday. An agreeable time was spent in games and various amusements. The following were present: Misses Hazel Robb, Nora Wilson, Nellie Wilson, Josie Harriman, Ruth Smith, Bertha Hobson, Fay Harriman, Florence Carr, Elisee Cross, Roxaline Cranford and Winnie Adams; Master Thorburn Ross, Jette Crandall, Donald Stuart, Fred Hardesty, and Archie Crann.

Dr. Tuttle, who was called yesterday to attend a sick man in the railroad camp above, returned last evening, bringing with him, who was immediately placed in St. Mary's Hospital. He is R. R. Board, and is suffering from an aggravated case of pneumonia. His recovery with good care he can be brought around all right, although his trouble was too long neglected. Dr. Tuttle reports that on his trip he was very much surprised to find that so great an amount of work had been done on the grade and tunnel in spite of the extremely bad weather during the winter.

In discussing the depot question yesterday, Mr. Wingate was heard to remark to a group of friends, that every man who has a business or a lot in central Astoria, should be willing and ought to give what he can afford towards securing the location of the depot at Snow bay. "The town is not so big but what it could be removed elsewhere, and it seems to me that if this matter is not taken hold of and settled very quickly, a big retail store will be opened in Upper town, and somebody will offer a lot near by for a hundred dollars, or some other reasonable sum to induce a new corner to put a house on it. A nucleus is formed, and like magic a new town will appear. A public park would be a position of honor for the city. The hotel, warehouses, mills and factories will go where a boom is started, and before you know it, lots now held in central Astoria at \$15.00, could not be given away at \$5.00."

The case of Ah Sam, the Chinaman who was arrested Friday evening, came up in the police court yesterday. He was tried on a charge of trespassing, but as the man was merely sneaking around and the court could not find any evidence against him, he was discharged. That he was guilty of looking in at the windows of the house, and otherwise annoying the occupants thereof, is an established fact, but he could not be convicted on any charge. The trespass ordinance reads: "Trespassing with intent to enter the building." The city attorney has been instructed to draw up an ordinance which will cover this particular offense. When the Chinaman was discharged yesterday, Judge Nelson told him that, if he was ever arrested for such actions again, he would find some ordinance to cover the case. The Chinaman was pretty badly frightened, and it is safe to say he will not again annoy people by looking in at their windows. In the notice of his arrest in yesterday's Astorian, it was stated that Sam was a member of the Chinese firm of Sun Yuen Lung Company, on Ninth street. This, however, is a mistake. Two Chinamen were discharged in that establishment called at this office yesterday and stated that Ah Sam had absolutely no connection with the company, and, furthermore, was unknown to them.

The Kings of Poetry and Humor, Fred Emerson Brooks, the California Humorist, and J. Williams Macy, humorist and buffo humor, will appear at the Methodist church tomorrow night. Instead of at the opera house, as heretofore announced.

Y. M. C. A., Cleveland, O. These two colleges, together with Macy and Emerson, entertained eleven hundred people in Association Hall the other night. There was much complaint of the crowded conditions and lame laws, but everybody voted it the best show of the season. We are down on most complaints, but the Brooks-Macy Combination is a valuable holding that should be in the hands of a few, and not so smoothly that we are compelled to advocate the general rule and deserves the credit of one suffering and unappreciated public. G. K. SHURTLEFF, General Secretary.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION Examination for certificates to teach in Clatsop county, Oregon, will be held, beginning at 9 o'clock a. m., Wednesday, Feb. 12, 1908, at McClure (Court street) school house, Astoria, Or. Applicants will be present promptly and remain until the close.

Examination for teachers' state diploma will be held on Saturday, February 15, beginning at 9 a. m., at same place.

H. S. LYMAN, School Supt., Clatsop Co., Or.

BUYERS AND SELLERS. The following transfers of real estate were filed in the office of Recorder Gunter yesterday:

Swedish Lutheran Church—Swedish services at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 12:15. Evening services at 7:45 in English. Subject, "Who is this one, that the wind and the sea obey him?"

Congregational Church—Usual preaching services. A church meeting of the Young People's society at 8 o'clock. "Endeavor Day" at 6:15 p. m. All are most cordially invited to these services.

Rev. K. O. Lundberg will preach at Bethania Norwegian Lutheran church to-day (Sunday) at 10:30 a. m. Evening services at 7:30 p. m. E. O. Ross will speak. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

Next Sunday at the Baptist church—Subject of sermon at 11 a. m., "Friendship to Christ." Sunday school at 12:15 p. m. B. Y. P. U. at 4:30 p. m. Subject of sermon at 7:30 p. m., "Justification Through Christ." An opportunity to unite with the church will be given at the close of the morning service.

Services at the Presbyterian church tomorrow as follows. Morning at 11 o'clock, the regular quarterly communion service. All members are especially requested to be present. Special service in the evening. Subject, "Present Protection Against Future sin." All are invited. Sabbath school after the morning service. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m.

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A MEMORIAL TO CONGRESS

Chamber of Commerce Intercedes for Protection and Propagation of Salmon.

TWO STATES ARE INTERESTED

Neither One Can Properly Protect the Interests of the Salmon Industry, and the Intervention of the National Government is Sought.

At the last meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of Astoria, Oregon, held on the 26th inst., the necessity of fostering the salmon industry of the Columbia river and the difficulty of the way of establishing a permanent hatchery being under discussion, Judge Bowley, M. J. Kinney and E. W. Tallant were appointed a committee to draft a memorial to congress on the subject with authority to forward the same when formulated, authenticated by the president and secretary of the chamber.

The committee have completed their labors, and yesterday Secretary E. C. Holden mailed to each of our congressional representatives a copy of the memorial, which reads as follows:

To the Hon. the Members of the Congress of the United States, Washington, D. C.:

Your memorialist, the Chamber of Commerce of Astoria, Oregon, begs to call your attention to the importance and need of fish protection and propagation in the Columbia river, and the propriety of the United States government acting in the matter.

It is to the fact that the fish will become extinct unless properly protected and artificially hatched. This is no longer questioned by observers of the fish industry.

As to the magnitude of the salmon fish industry in the Columbia river, it is only necessary to consider that the business of catching fish here has been carried on for about thirty years; and last year amounted to a pack of four hundred and fifty-seven thousand eight hundred and twenty (457,820) cases of "Chinook" salmon; seventeen thousand six hundred and thirty-four (17,634) cases of "Blue-backs"; thirty-four thousand nine hundred and fifty-one (34,951) cases of "Coho" salmon; one hundred and twenty-seven thousand and eighty-four (127,084) cases of "Fall run" salmon; and a value of Three million, Three Hundred and Forty-two Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty-eight Dollars (\$3,342,928).

There were also shipped away and otherwise consumed in fresh fish, an amount estimated at a value of One Hundred and Twenty-three Thousand Five Hundred and Sixty-four Dollars (\$123,564).

Three thousand seven hundred and seventy-five fisherman and 1571 operatives are employed directly in the industry.

The "Chinook" salmon, the fattest and finest salmon in the world, now here in the United States or in the North American continent are they found in such abundance in such fine condition as in the Columbia river. Nowhere else do they seem to find such feeding grounds or waters as are necessary to do so promote growth and fatness. The waters of the Columbia river, well adapted also to the habits and needs of the fish that they always return to this river.

If the Columbia river were entirely within the boundaries of the state of Oregon, or subject to its sole control, the state could take simple provision for the preservation of the fish supply; but the Columbia river is a common boundary to Oregon, Washington and Idaho, and the fisheries of the river extend into the body of each state.

There is at present a conflict between the statutes of the bordering states. Any appropriation by one state for propagation, could not be expended for the exclusive benefit of its own citizens, and joint appropriation is almost impossible.

This fish is largely consumed throughout the United States, and all are interested in preserving an abundant supply of such wholesome and economical food.

The duties collected by the government upon the tin plate used in this industry approximate Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000) in value.

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A small portion of this duty expended in propagation would keep up the supply.

It therefore seems to your memorialist that this is a proper subject for the national government to take up and energetically and without delay.

As in duty bound your memorialist will ever pray.

G. WINGATE, President.

E. C. HOLDEN, Secretary.

As parties closely interested in the salmon industry at Washington, Secretary Holden also addressed to the president or receivers of all the transcontinental railway lines doing business on the Pacific coast a request for their co-operation in the matter, as follows:

Astoria, Or., January 25, 1908.

Sir:—The Chamber of Commerce of Astoria, Oregon, desires to call your attention to the enclosed copy of a memorial it has sent to congress, and asks your aid and co-operation therein.

The salmon product of the Columbia River amounted this last year to about eighteen hundred (1800) carloads, fifteen hundred of which went east.

By a small expenditure annually by the government, this amount can be maintained and probably largely increased.

This Federal telegram for relief for the missing Callow Forest was sent by the Chamber:

Astoria, Or., Feb. 1, 1908.

To the Hon. the Secretary of the Treasury, Washington, D. C.:

British ship Callow Forest, supposed dismantled, with Oregon pilot on board, and no information from her for twenty-four days. Requested that you order lighthouse tender now here, or revenue cutter from Puget Sound to proceed in search of said vessel.

Pres. Chamber of Commerce. Approved, C. H. PAGE, Collector of Customs.

THE BIGGEST FOOL AT LARGE.

Is the individual who persistently neglects the means of preserving and restoring it. Many persons who are not constitutional idiots do this. They are genuine objects of compassion as well as contempt.

A failure of appetite, loss of sleep, and flesh, impaired digestion, an uncertain state of the bowels and symptoms of biliousness are so many warnings of the approach of disease. To disregard them is to invite it. It is also fully adequate. Among these are chronic indigestion, liver complaint, kidney troubles, constipation, nervousness, rheumatism, and malaria.

UNCLE JOE SPRUCEBY.

The old-fashioned "hushing bee" with its contrived and most festive festivities occupies one act of "Uncle Joe Spruceby," the New England comedy drama.

It is staged in Uncle Joe's barn on the "Maiden" farm, The heaps of yellow corn, the stacks of golden pumpkins,

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WANTED—Man or lady to collect, do some office work, and manage agents. You will deal through your leading merchant. Something new and very popular. Send four references and ten cents for full particulars. John Finney Mgr., P. O. Box 48, St. Louis, Mo.

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