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**MARINE MATTERS.**

DATE	HIGH WATER		LOW WATER	
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Saturday	5 13.78	0 29.92	6 56.40	7 51.48
Sunday	6 23.78	1 39.92	7 56.41	8 51.49
Monday	7 33.78	2 49.91	8 56.42	9 51.50
Tuesday	8 43.77	3 59.90	9 56.43	10 51.51
Wednesday	9 53.76	4 69.89	10 56.44	11 51.52
Thursday	10 63.75	5 79.88	11 56.45	12 51.53
Friday	11 73.74	6 89.87	12 56.46	1 51.54

In m. 8 p. m. 2 1/2, 3, 3 1/2, etc. before zero.  
Changes of Moon—27, Last Qr. 4, New Moon. 11, First Qr. 16, Full Moon.

The Garrari is on the way down the river.

The Drumbaron left up the river yesterday.

Three or four grain ships will probably sail today.

The California steamer Columbia will sail at 7 o'clock this morning.

The British ship Yallori left down from Portland yesterday morning at 9 o'clock.

The barkentine Tam O'Shanter arrived from Acos, Guatemala, in ballast, Monday.

The barkentine Portland cleared for San Pedro yesterday, with 550,000 feet of lumber.



**SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR**

**The Favorite Home Remedy.**

For all diseases caused by derangement of the Liver, Kidneys, and Stomach. Keep it always in the house and you will save time and Doctor's Bills, and have at hand an active, harmless and perfectly safe purgative, alterative and tonic.

If you feel dull, debilitated, have frequent headache, mouth tastes badly, poor appetite and tongue coated, you are suffering from torpid liver or biliousness, and SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR will cure you.

If you have eaten anything hard to digest, or feel heavy after meals or sleepless at night, a dose of SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR will relieve you and bring pleasant sleep.

If at any time you feel your system needs cleansing and regulating without violent purging, take SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR.

J. H. Zeltin & Co., Philadelphia.

would represent the cannerymen, and some existing citizens' organization represent the other interest.

By some body this constituted the whole subject of salmon fishing, the comparative merits of the ways of taking the fish, the subject of fish propagation and future supply, market, and pay of fishermen, with recommendation for necessary legislation, might be gone over.

H. S. LYMAN.

**A BACHELOR'S VIEWS.**

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scheme, but fearing that they might become homesick for their old loves, wish to have the matter delayed until after New Years (as they are of a bashful disposition on the popping question), in order that the present lady loves may have another opportunity to utilize the advantage they have by a leap year proposition. Others, however, are of a different opinion, and are anxious to complete all arrangements in as short a time as possible, so that they can immediately proceed to the new fields where pleasure and bliss and wealth awaits them.

They feel that they cannot support a girl of their class, on account of the fastidious ideas and fashions caused by the environments of the society. They prefer to cast their lot with the dusky belles who have retained the symmetrical form and splendid proportions as adapted by nature, and with whom the question of dress is of no vital importance.

The main drawback against the enterprise is that a few years ago the natives of the isles were of a cannibalistic nature, and would greedily devour the flesh of a human with as much relish as a civilized individual would partake of a Thanksgiving dinner. But from recent information it appears that they have overcome their cannibalistic ideas, and the charming young bachelors need not fear that he will be greedily devoured as bachelors on toast or any other delicious dish. In order to encourage the young men to make the trip and settle in the isles, the promoters have agreed to grant a bonus to the four fattest men that will make the first landing for the purpose of inspecting the isles and natives and their habits and brave the dangers of being partaken of as a toothsome and wholesome dish. Should the inspectors fail to return to the vessel at an appointed time, those on board will take it for granted that they have been served up and partaken of to the queen's taste, and that the only thing remaining for them to do is to set sail, steer for home, leave the cannibalistic slaves in their wake, and return to the homes of their first loves. As the time is now fast approaching, in order to make an early start, and those wishing information can find me any week day on the north side of Bond street between Rose, Higgins & Co.'s store and the Morgan warehouse.

X. Y. Z.

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Highest of all in leavening strength—U. S. Government Report.

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It is on every tongue.

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should call to their aid the columns of the Weekly Astorian. There are several reasons why the Weekly Astorian's circulation is so large. One is that its columns contain more reading matter than any other paper in Oregon excepting a Portland publication.

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FOR RENT—A front room nicely furnished. Inquire 234 Bond street, city.

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