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Childrens fine shoes, Spring Styles.

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reported were heavy.

of the new cannery.

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Faster decorations are being pre-

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Court will adjourn this afternoon.

ast evening to attend the funeral in

resterday.

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YESTERDAY'S WEATHER.

Maximum temperature, 65.. deg. Minimum temperature, 48.6 deg Total precipitation from September 1, 1896, to date, 80.93. Excess of precipitation from Septem ber 1, 1896, to date, 19.86.

TODAY'S WEATHER.

Fair weather: warmer, followed by showers and cooler Wednesday night fresh northerly winds.

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torian" has more than twice as many readers as any other paper published in Asto pia. It is therefore more than twice as valuable as an advertising medium.

State of Oregon, County of Clatsop. We, the undersigned, local managers respectively of the Western Union and Postal Telegraph companies, hereby certify that the "Daily Astorian" is the only paper published in Astoria which now reselves, or at any time during our control day. of said offices has received, a telegraphic B. D. JOHNSON, press report.

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AROUND TOWN.

WEDNESDAY.

Glad, cheery souls escape many diseases. Be cheery. It is a physical as well as divine duty

The wind was black with the rain. He lashed the lake and the plain; He plucked up an oak by the hair; Nor spire nor ship did he spare. But when he came to the face Of a flower, in a desolate place, He kissed it down to the sod, and went by, as softly as God. -Harper's Bazar.

"Gypsine"-see Swope

"Gypsine"-the only durable wall

Sunshades and straw hats are now the rule.

Where? Next door to Dunbar's, See

the window.

Ekstrom has the only complete stock day on their way to Portland. of Jewelry in the city.

The Ryan case was dismissed yes terday by Judge Nelson.

Just arrived Laird Schober& Co's Spring Styles. Columbia Shoe Co.

Time? Thursday. Place? Next to

Dunbar's. What? Egg sale.

Have you any lewerry that needs repairing? Take it to Ekstrom's.

Miss Pearl Holden has returned

from her visit to Fort Canby.

How good tea tastes once a year when it first comes over from China and Japan!

That's the way Schilling's Best tastes all the year round. It is fresh-roasted in San Francisco as fast as your grocer wants it.

At grocers' in packages.

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made for private lessons. Wheels Robert Wakefield, the railroad con- rented for 25 cents per hour. Academy, 506 Bond steet.

Home-made candy, ice cream and Goerig & Maney have received the contract for the government bridge at Scarborough Head. The bridge is J. O. Murray and J. J. Brumbach a Howe truss and the iron is being made at the Columbia Iron Works.

Jack Fursey, the Cathlamet salmon Un joune homme desire loger chez buyer, was in the city on a short unefamilie française pour perfectionner son francais. Veuilles envoyer billet avec adresse et conditions au bu-P. J. Meany, the leading merchant reau de ce journal, marqué étranger.

tailor, 137 Tenth St. The highest price Mr. Lyman Babeock, who was 1so seriously injured at the Clatsop mills Egg sale. Do not forget. The doors a short time since, left yesterday for will be open from 3:30 to 5 p. m. for his home in Aberdeen, Wash. His recovery is thought to be improbable.

John Stark is the new policeman Captain Fritch, who was in the city to fill the vacancy caused by Officer Monday, and opened an agency forthe new opposition San Francisco steamer line, returned to the Bay City on the BAMBOO furniture sold at special State of California yesterday morning.

prices this week, at the Rising Sun Contractor Normile will soon have the Second street sewer completed Thursday, the 15th. In the evening This will bring much new property at 7:39. A program of songs, drills, jato the market, as streets will be opened and a number of new houses

The first lot of flax seed for Foard & Stokes has arrived at Victoria and All those holding previous invitations are invited to the Alert Hook & Ladder Company's whist party this A. R. Cyrus has moved his real esevening at the pariors of the company. tate and insurance office to No. 469 These events are becoming social fea-

Up-to-date. B and H. "Special" and Mr. Sloop, the well-known milkman, Stormer" bleycles. Fully warranted. is still increasing and improving his fine dairy. He has just purchased a herd of fresh mileh cows from Marsh-It is reported that the fish in Ba- land, which were brought down yesker's bay are not very plentiful, on terday.

The Lacrosse fad seems to have struck Astoria. With all the athletic games running in full force, there will be ample opportunity for broken heads, bruised shins and dislocated A stock company has been formed joints.

in Hwaco, with a capital of \$3,500, for the purpose of running a weekly pa-Sheriff Hare and Deputy Clinton left for Salem yesterday morning with Peter Tustin, Harry Haste, Joseph Mr. S. A. Clark the well-known hor- Terry and G. Pitano in charge, each ticulturist and fruit-grower of Salem, of whom will serve a one-year term called on his Astoria friends yester in the pen.

The work of cleaning the streets, Fishermen's supplies-coffee pots, started by a few enterprising business stoves lunch buckets, net floats, water men at their own expense Monday and the terms of delivery and paybreakers, hatchets-cheap at W. J. morning, has borne good fruit. Yesterday several more blocks had their streets cleaned. Mayor Taylor yesterday signed the

city bond ordinance, which now makes American Bible Society Repository. possible the placing of the city on a Bibles and Testaments of all descriptions, and in all languages desired. Sold at cost price. Suitable for dis-Now is the time for a general clear- tribution, presents: etc. Repository at ing up of the city-gambling, bawdy Griffin & Reed's, Astoria. houses and all other vice prohibited

A still alarm was turned in last evening by Chief Green, from an Up-You can get twelve colors and de- pertown box, to test the efficacy of signs for dying Easter ergs for 5 the alarm system and the efficiency ents at Rogers' drug store, Odd Fel- of the department. A prompt response

was made by the different companies. Nearly all of the canneries received Rambler bicycles are fitted with G.

ish yesterday, and packing was quite and J. clincher tires, the quickest to general, though none of the catches mend. Do not pay \$50 or \$75 for second grade wheels when you can get a'97 Rambler for \$80 or '96 for \$60. H. J. Barling, formerly with the W. E. Warren, agent, 547 Commercial Alaska Improvement Co., Alaska, will strest

There was a wonderfully brilliant display in the eastern sky Monday L. L. Loomis, Ben Wise, J. J. Brum- night. A large meteor, of bright bluish bach, Dr. Parks and A. N. Bohn, of color, shot downwards in a northerly Hwaco, passed through the city rester- direction, leaving a traff of fire across the heavens. The spectacle insted only a second.

pared throughout the city and nature The office of the Southern Pacific eems to be putting on her best dress Railway Company will hereafter be found at the Wells-Fargo Express office, Curtis Trenchard, agent, where In the circuit court yesterday Alex, tickets to all parts of the world can Peterson, a native of Russia, was ad- be had and all information for travmitted to United States citizenship, elers obtained,

Just received for Easter, a splendid Trescott, the Portland fish man, has assortment of silk waists, every one engaged the launch May to buy fish a beauty; also a magnificent accortfor him. It is understood that he will ment of dress skirts in silk and woodalso have a station at Fort Stevens. on material, at 53% per cent less than you can buy these goods elsewhere Judge C. H. Page left on the Potter I. Cohen, 491 Bond street.

Portland of his brother, W. W. Page, Further evidence of the miserable the well-known lawyer, who died on condition of the streets of the city was given yesterday when one wheel of a truck belonging to Sherman broke Dave Kelth, John Day's, Win. An- through the roadway on Bond, belerson, Eric Mannalia, Deep River; N. tween Seventh and Eighth streets. Ness, F. Olsen, Mrs. John Leahy, The axle was broken off at the wheel Wm. Wyman, Olney, were in the city hub.

The self-starting Hercules marine Messus, Normile and Fastabend were gasoline engines ordered by O. P. Grathe successful bidders for the rock ham, of Warrenton, for the boats h excavation in the Nestucea river for is building for John Skibbe and John the government. The amount of their Kopp will be up on the next steamer, and as they are something different from anything seen here yet, will The Crescent Riding Academy is probably be watched very closely to

to what improvement they are over what people are familiar with on the

Mr. Wm. Harder, general agent of April 12, 1897; the Great Northeen Rallway, was Beakey, Mrs. Rosa Martin, Frank. down from Portland, looking after the Borland, A. M. interests of his line. His latest budget Class H. M. (3) of stories was a good one, and he Ellett, R. C. (2) also cald that business in the metrop- Ferguson, E. S. olls was very much improved. In fact. Joanson, C. he says that times are better than Josefson, John for two years past. Good times are Johnson, C. coming slowly, but are coming to Lenard, Herman cay, seems to be the opinion of the merchants. People are beginning to pay up old debts and are commencing

to live better.

Monday evening James O'Connell Gus Hildebrand and Fred Johnson, three of the leading lights of Fourd & Stokes' store, essayed to learn to ride the bicycle. A back street was chosen for the trial ground, and the antics of those biless made great fun for the neighbors. Hildebrand's steed which persisted in bucking and throw its rider to the ground, finally mudcollided with a passing our, very nearly persuaded the man of f ures that bike riding is not what i is cracked up to be. O'Connell's two wheeled motor got him into no end of trouble by its efforts to run down a the passersby, white Johnson's animal wanted to go backwards all the time giving that gentleman a great deal of trouble in maintaining his seat for more than a minute at a time. After half an hour's exercise and numerous falls all around further lessons were postponed. Last night all of the members had to stand up to eat their sup-

DENY THE ALLEGATION. Astoria, Or., April 13.—(Editor Astorian.)-An article in the Budget states that Quong Sing Co. and the Chinese Union, recently formed, had issued orders that no more white labor, that is, boys and girls, should be employed in the canneries, and that if they were employed no Chinaman would work in the canneries. The Chinese contractors employ a foreman to superintend the putting up of salmon, and have nothing to do with the em ployment of white labor. No such order as the Budget claims to have been issued has ever been issued, and if any of the canneries see fit to employ whit tabor in the canneries, no Chinamar will quit work, for the reason that all contracts have already been made and it would be impossible for the Chines. Union to issue any such orders without violating every contract made. The Chinese Union was organized for poor Chinamen, who were sick or un- offices, news or cirar stand. able to work; to hire doctors, or send them back to China, but not for the 100, Warrenton, \$750. Easy terms, or purpose of interfering with white in installment plan bor. The article is absolutely false

not care if white labor is employed or casy terms.

CHINESE MERCHANT CLUB. S. PROPOSALS FOR PROVISIONS

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE IN-LAND, OREGON, APRIL, 10, 1897, acreage on beach south of Columbia Proposals will be received at this or river. fice until 12 o'clock m., on Saturday, the twenty-fourth day of April 1897, for furnishing and delivering provisions for vessels and light stations in this district during the fiscal year to at \$500. end June 30, 1898. Forms of proposals and printed instructions giving full \$100 per acre, easy terms, particulars as to the articles required. ment, can be obtained at this office. The right is reserved to reject the whole or part of any or all bids, and to waive any defects.

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nion at 9, evening prayer at 4, boy bargain choir at 7.

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