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Their Friends, Patrons, and the Public Generally, to call on them and inspect their

- NEW STORE -

510 & 512 Commercial Street, Telephone 32

railroad company.

down to the O. R. & N. dock.

guests of the Parker House.

call on the Pacific Grocery Co.

A new one will be cast at once

bow of the Columbine-the hawser pipe

hance to turn a penny in Astoria.

room 17, Hotel Tighe.

vas set for the 20th.

egistered at the Occident yesterday.

at mill prices in lots to suit.

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ticles. Give him a call.

vitation is extended to all to attend.

-HIGH GRADE -

Gents' | 'o7 Spring Styles.

Bicycle Shoes.

John Hahn & Co.

YESTERDAY'S WEATHER.

Maximum temperature, 75 deg. Minimum temperature, 51 deg. Precipitation, none.

Total precipitation since September 1, 1896, to date, 84.34 inches. Excess of precipitation from Septem ber 1, 1896, to date, 18.13 inches.

TODAY'S WEATHER.

Fair weather: warmer.

AROUND TOWN.

FRIDAY.

The glorious sun in spendthrift mood, Pours for and wide his golden flood.

See the Corner Grocery, 455 Duane

Best cream; lowest prices; C. B. toria before, Smith

See the Corner Grocery, 455 Duan

Mr. Hillsbury has bought out the sion House, White Help restaurant.

starch or gelatine used.

A lot of choice picnic hams at 5: at the Pacific Grocery Co.

Judge Gra left last night for Portland on a short business trip.

Buy your sweet cream at the Bon-

bonniere; it will not fail to whip.

Bailey's Complexion Brushes at Rogers' drug store, 459 Commercial street.

New Bicycle Leggins arrived today. Columbia Shoe Co.

The great bowling match did not come off last night, but will take place this

When you are looking for low prices in the grocery line call on the Pacific Grocery Co.

bowling alley.

P. J. Meany, the leading merchant tailor, 137 Tenth St. The highest price paid for fur skins. Cream, cream; fresh every

morning; guaranteed to whip or mone refunded. Smith's candy store. J. C. Jones and wife left last even-

ing for Idaho, where Mr. Jones will remain in the service of Corey Bros.

The change in the weather yesterday probably discouraged the city council from investing in a street sprinkter.

lard and canned meats are the best in tickets to all parts of the world can be with a fine. Coin special brands of hams, bacon, the market. Ask your grocer for them, had and all information for travelers

The sudden cold wave yesterday caused a drop in the cream business. and furs and overcouts were brought

John Kelly and C. F. Sliter, of Portland, passed through the car yesterday on their way to Elk creek for a few

There are five flavors of Schilling's Best tea -- as different from one another as peaches, apples, pears, no equal. There is no reason why you monsters. Wednesday the Columbia plums, and grapes.

your money back on what can be made. W. 2. you don't like.

The tea and the money are at grocers'. A Schilling & Company San Francisco

Burleigh

the Cash Grocer.

Eagle Milk, per can, 15c.

Tomatoes, 4 cans, 25c.

Lennox Soap, 7 bars, 25c.

Flour, per sack, \$1.00.

Jelley, per pail, 50c.

SHANAHAN BUILDING.

Another large barge load of lumber good program and refreshments will be arrived down from Goble yesterday, served. Gentlemen as well as ladier the larger portion of it being for the are very cordially invited.

At Carlson's family liquor store, No. Three carloads of rails and several 103 Twelfth street, will be found Repsuch cars were brought over from sold's high grade California brandles, Warrenton yesterday and switched and all brands of California wines, for cooking, medicinal and table uses Kentucky whiskies, blended or straight C. W. Babcock, W. B. Hayden, of The best in the market at lowest prices Ewaco, and E. M. Gamage, South All orders will receive prompt atten-Bond, were in the city yesterday, tion,

Northern Pacific ratiroad trains leave When you are looking for fresh ber- Portland daily at 11 o'clock a. m. for ries or anything in the way of fruits Tacoma, Spokane, and the East. Close or vegetables at the very lowest prices, connection made at Spokane for Rosstand, Nelson, Sandow and British Columbia mining camps. For maps and It is strange but true that John Pox information call on or address yesterday pulled a long hole out of the

C. W. STONE. Astoria, Or.

The tea given yesterday afternoon a the residence of Mrs. E. C. Lewis by William Murdeck, died in 1887. Dick-Mr. Thos. Conneil, the well-known eal estate man of Portland, was in the ladies of Grace church was a largethe city yesterday looking out for a jy attended and pleasant affair. All the rooms of the house were tastefully decorated with lilacs and wild flowers, When going East travel on the North- the dining room being particularly atern Pacific Railway. Quick time and the tractive. The ladies sewed, drank tea only time running dining cars. Train and sewed again, all for sweet charity leaves Portland daily at 11 o'clock a. m.

The blockading of Bond street by the A few other property-owners have rebuilding of the street between Elevommenced beautifying the grounds onth and Twelfth is causing much inabout their residences, and will not be convenience to merchants in that block found asleep when strangers visit the but when the work is done they will forget all about their troubles. It has When you want a real life-like and has been much unnecessary delay in the artistic photo, don't fail to call on Snod- work, or unnecessary blocking of the grass. The work he is turning out now street at both ends of the work. is ahead of anything ever made in As-

J. J. Kellihe, who has been weather observer at Fort Camby for the past Why pay 10e or 15e for ice cream, when minute toe cream can be had for and announced that he had been trans- A Steady Increase of Business Shown 5c? It is made of pure cream. Come and see us mix it. Webfoot Commis- ferred to the station at Cairo, Ill., and that the transfer would go into effect on Ma 15. He will be succeeded at C. B. Smith sells now cream; no corn Boyle & Co.'s window today. __ few charge of the office at Walla Walla for founded Birmingham, it was shown by See the fine display of views in R. L. sent East will do more good than a a short time, but served the depart- President McDomald's report that the library of reading matter. Snodgrass ment for several years in Nevada,

Arrived-Mme, Vasche, the celebrated S. H. Brown, Jr., will arrive down iness conditions and real estate sales palmist. Reads past, present and fu- from Portland this morning. It is un- each month sines November making Tuesday. ture. Gives accurate advice in all af- derstood that Mr. Bays will commence a better showing than the preceding fairs of life. For a short time only, at once to build the new 60-foot bicycle one. By the better conditions prevailtrack from Flavel to the ocean beach, ing since the election the company has a distance of three and a half miles. It been enabled to reduce its bonded debt In the justice court yesterday Lilly is expected the road will be finished \$50,000, to report \$2,000,000 invested in Hill commenced a civil action against and ready for use in about six weeks, new enterprises in John Kenny and J. Gribbler for the de- This will be a great boon to all riders which a steel mill and a \$500,000 cotton livery of personal property. The case of the wheel and will afford many mill, both under construction, are the hours of pleasure to wheelmen and on- principal ones. The report held out ex-

Joshua Colwell, Providence, R. I. The stir among real estate men is Hanover National Bank, of New York, Mr. and Mrs. Kerr, R. G. Tuthill, Wm. Whelan, Otto Guthman, Robt, Wake- noticeable and an indication that some- was re-elected a director, and J. K. field, Portland; Frank Bland, Boston; thing of a market for property has McDonald, of Birmingham, president. been, or is about to be, created. Remors of all kinds of deals are current. Ross, Higgins & Co. are still in busi- the consummation of one-half of which ness at the old stand and will give would set the town wild. That better hess at the old State and which will Omaha, whipped Satior Brown in about terday morning for the United King-Entrance to their store from east side see soild growth and advancement on three seconds before the Reliance Club dom. stil thigh man for the week at the while street repairs are in progress, safe lines, is admitted by all those who last night. Davis was matched to light Ross, Higgins & Co. have taken the fairs of the day and the general bust- men had time to warm up Davis agency for the famous "Corvallis" ness of the country.

Three carloads arrived here for them yesterday and they will from In the police court yesterday Aug. now on furnish dealers with the same Peterson forfeited \$2 for being drunk. Wm. Howard, a recent arrival from Portland, plead guilty to the same The regular monthly business meet, charge and was fined \$5. During the ing of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Congre- trial of the case by Deputy City Acgational church will be held in the torney Young it developed that on church basement this evening, and will Wednesday there was a free for all mill be followed by a social. A cordial in- on Parker's dock, an adjourned seesless of the same at Erickson's, and a bloody fight at one of the cannery mess hous The office of the Southern Pacific Howard had a bad cut on one of his Railway Company will hereafter be eyes, but refused to tell how, when or found at the Wells-Fargo Express of where he got it, and he was charged fice, Curtis Trenchard, agent, where only with being drunk and was let off

Captain Richardson, of the Colum bine, says that they had good luck in John Chitwood's gold brick attracted landing the last lot of material at Tilno little attention yesterday at the lamook Rock, except that one of the Center Hotel, but it was learned that boats, in making a landing in the swift t was only a sample of the magnificent current which sweeps around the rock, six-pound paving bricks with which the was dashed against the rock and some greater Astoria's streets will be paved what damaged. The same boat, within a month, has landed over 250 tons o material. The Columbine left out W. F. Scheibe, the popular cigar man, the rock early Tuesday morning, but ufacturer, is now established in his new upon arrival off the rock the wind came quarters, 474 Commercial street, where up and the water became too rough to he has a full line of domestic, Key West und the supplies. Rather than return and imported cigars and the best brands to the city the captain came to anchor of smoking tobaccos and smokers' ar- off Arch Rock to wait for calm weather While at anchor Tuesday the crea

The Rambier is the hit of the 20th sea flors on Arch Rock, of which there entury. It has many imitators, but must have been 500, many of them shouldn't join the throng and buy a succeeded in discharging the supplies Rambler, A wheel doesn't cost much at Tillamook Rock and returned to use Try every one, and get in the end. Easy and convenient terms city in the evening. Yesterday her boilcan be made. W. E. Warren, agent, ers were blown down while at Kinney' dock, and pecessary repairs will be made to fit the vessel for her usua There will be a parlor meeting under trip to Alaska, which will be made as the auspices of the W. C. T. U. at the soon as possible. The Astoria Iron residence of Mrs. Wm. Woods, 1716 Works is doing the work. The star-Franklin avenue, East Astoria, Friday board hawse pipe was removed yesterlevening. May 14th. There will be a day and a new one will be cast and put

amused themselves with firing at the

in its place. The Columbins is due in Seattle the 20th, but will hardly get away from here before then. Captain Richardson expects to return from Alaska by June 30th. A big summer's work is before his ship, as the Manzanita will be out of service three months, and the annual supplies are to be delivered to all the light houses of the district. Many buoys must be changed district. Many busys must be changed columbia Harbor along the whole northern coast, and atready more material has been landed this season at Destruction Island than ever before since Captain Richardson Land Co. this season at Destruction Island than came to this district.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The following deeds were filed for record yesterday:

The Real & Personal Estate Co. to Henry Ober. A cortain portion of the Condit D. L. C ... C. J. Curtis and wife to R. Alexunder. Quarter of section 10, T. 5 N., R. 6 W., Grimes Grove Land Co. to A. G.

Chroste. Sara H. Parker to Mrs. Ragna Adams, by 3, block 2, Skipanon 100 nited States patent to Eliza-Williamson, northwest quarter of southwest quarter, and south half of southwest quarter sec tion 34, township 6 north, and monthwest quarter of northwest quarter section 3, township 5

A JUDICIAL DILEMMA.

nogth of range 10 west, 149

Missouri Supreme Court Ties on an Im portant Cuse.

settlement of the partnership estate careful investigation, of Murdock and Dickson, which tovolves more than \$1,000,000. The case is in the supreme court on a writ of probabition to restrain the circuit udges from entertaining or making any orders in the case. Charles K. Dickson, who was in partnership with Priest. In 1895 Attorney John M. Dick- The inhabitants are in consternation. son, a son of Charles K. Dickson, went into the probate court and raised the point that the law had no provision for an estate in course of administration being assigned. This point was shall be final.

IMPROVING AT BIRMINGHAM.

Since the Election of McKinley,

Birmingham, May 11.-At the annual Fort Canby by Mr. Behon, who has meeting of the Elyton Company, which absolute stagnacion preceding the Nevember election had been replaced since Contractor Phys. L. B. Seeley and then by a marked improvement in bus-

ellent prospects for the coming year

James T. Woodward, president of the

Onkland, May 13.-Jack Davis, of mashed Brown in the mouth and nose. followed it up with another blow on the jaw, and Brown was completely out and the fight was given to Davis. Fred McCormack fought eight rounds with Dick Fleming, said to be a brother of Jimmy Carroll, whose true family name is Fleming. Fleming was not in good condition, but put up a good fight. The decision was given to McCormack.

AN EMBEZZLER CAUGHT.

Springfield, Ill., May 13 .- John Linthe, deputy county treasurer of Pike county, who embezzied \$10,000 during Treasurer Widmer's term of office, has been convicted by a jury at Pittsfield and sentenced to two years in prison.

NEW SHORT LINE BONDS.

New York, May 13,-The directors of the Oregon Short Line and Utah North-

riant Hair with Clean, Wholesome Scalp, produced by Currouna Soap, the most effective skin paritying and beautifying soap in the world, as well as purest and sweetest, for tollet, hall, and nursery. The only preventive on and clogging of the Powes.

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Mans on application.

em railroad today authorized the issue of non-cumulative income bonds, series B, to the amount of \$15,000,000, in Long, Lot 10, block 7, Grimes accordance with the plan proposed by the reorganization committee.

A HORRIBLE CRIME.

Wesley Williamson Murdered for Money and His Body Burned.

headless trunk of Wesley Williamson new. Address "A," Astorian office. was this morning placed in the city undertaking parlors. The legs to the knees had been burned off, and the whole body was burned beyond recognition. The evidence indicates that Williamson was murdered for his mon-block. ey and then the house fired to destroy trace of the crime. Williamson was be-St. Louis May II. The supreme court lieved to have just received money for of Missouri is in a deadlock over the cuttle sold. The coroner is making a

FROST IN FRANCE

Kills the Vines, Fruit and Vegetables People in Consternation.

Paris, May 13.--A dispatch from son's individual estate was inventoried Auxerre, the center of the wine-growing for stead, between 2d and 2d. Cons. al over \$1,000,000. Duckson made a will district, department of Youne, says Apply 90 Autor street, with the late James B. Eads and Bar- there was a general sudden frost las: ton Bates as executors. Murdock took night and the night before, destroying out letters of administration on the crops, vines, fruit and vegetables. The partnership estate. Later he made an amount of damage in the department assignment of the assests to John G. of the Yonne is estimated at \$4,000,000.

ENGINEER BURROWS DEAD.

New York, May 13-Blehard V. Bur- LIST YOUR seemed to some, however, that there carried to the highest court, but the rows, who is a civil engineer, and was supreme court of the state stands three prominently identified with the building to three in respect to it. The court of the Union and Northern Pacine railhas asked the adverse parties to agree roads, the Grand Trunk, and railways upon a special judge whose decision of South Africa, died today at Mount Vernon, aged 74.

BASE BALL GAMES.

Pittsburg, May 11 - Pittsburg Cincinnati, May 11-Cincinnati New York 3,

MARINE NEWS.

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HIGH WATER. LOW WATER.

STATION. Umatilla, Or. 18 7 0 5 Umatilla, Or. 18 7 0 5 Northport Wash 15 2 0 4 Northport Wash 29 2 1 2 Lewiston, Idaho 14 4 0.3 .00 clear Weiser, Idaho 9 0 0 1 .00 clear

The British back Auldgirth sailed yes

News on the water front was very sty great bargain. yeterday, and the boys had little to do but tell stories.

Stevens where she will act as a salmor receiving station.

The steamer State of California

cleared for San Francisco yesterday with a large cargo of freight and sailed property; just like giving it away at at 2 o'clock in the morning.

Agent Loughey, of the Ship Owners'

Association, the successor of Capt. Garrison, had an experience recently which has given him a poor opinion of saflors in general, and one satior in particular. He received a telegram from Captain Greenleaf, of the barkentine Arago, telling him to send a salior to Hoquiam. Loughey selected a union sailo: who applied for the job. He paid the sailor's way to Hoquiam and checked through to the same point a chest which the sailor seemed particularly anxious about. The check Loughey ent to Captain Greenleaf, together with the information that the sailor vas on the way. A few days later Loughey received a letter from Captain Precedent. "I have the chest all right, out the sailor has not appeared. He must be a peculiar sailor. I opened the chest and it was filled with rags and old shoes." It was learned that the sallor had been anxious to go fishing on the Columbia river, and by working Loughey had secured transportation as far as Hoquiam for the price of a bundle of old rags and old leather.-Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

The man with the immaculate trousers always sits in the car next to the saby with muddy boots.

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FOR SALE Horses! Horses! Just GRAMMS & CO. arrived with fine large horses, from 1100 to 1500 pounds. All well broken and for sale cheap. W. R. Popplewell, P. O. box 803, Portland, Oregon.

FOR SALE-A J. S. Mundy improved friction drum hoisting engine. Size of boller, 7x2% feet; cylinder, 7x12 inches. Goldendale, Wash., May 11.—The A first-class engine, almost as good as

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Railroad hands wanted for immediate Gambrinus work on track. Apply at room 4 Player A. & C. R. R. R.

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FOR RENT-Furnished rooms, en sulte or single, by the day or month Hatel Tighe, under entire new manage C. P. KJAERBYE, M.A., M.D. ment. Great reduction in rates. Mrs. G. V. Porter, manager. Cor. Eleventh and Franklin

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cash. Is a great bargain. Three lets in block 25. Shiveley's: each 50x100, Bargain at \$2,400, Very

cany terms. 75x75 corner block 15, Adair's, \$1.500. Street car and paved streets. Corner lot, 33d and Franklin, 75x150, t houses, all rented. A bargain and

casy terms. Lot 10, block 19, Alderbrook, Great

bargain offered. WEST SIDE BARGAINS. A six room cottage, new, on lot 50x 160, Warrenton, \$750. Easy terms, or installment plan.

Lots 7 and 8, block 16, Kindred Park; cheap for cash. Lot 21, block 27, New Astoria, with house, barn, cow, chichens, etc. Cheap

at \$500. A BARGAIN-63% acres near Flavel, 1100 per acre, easy terms. BEACH PROPERTY.

200 acres fine grazing land on North Necarnie, \$1,500. All clear. Easy terms House, lot and barn in Holliday Park on Necannicum, \$100, cash. A

feet frontage. Beautiful tract, suitable for laying out in lots. Cheap and terms to suit. Ten room house on North Beach, all furnished. Cost \$1,500. Owner, who lives in the East, will sell for \$800. Lot 9, block 9, Ocean Grove, Sea

160 acres on Elk creek beach, 1200

Seven room house at Seaside; mrdern improvements; nicely located and cheap; terms easy.

aide. House, blacksmith shop; well on

COUNTY LANDS. A FINE FARM of 120 acres on Upper Nehalem. About one-half of place timber land, balance pasture and tilled land; \$1,500 on easy terms; is a

bargain. Store building, barn, large orchard, pasture land, tilled soil, comprises a peautiful place near Olney. We are prepared to offer it at a bargain. FOR RENT.

FOR RENT-10-room house, \$15 per month; 5-room house, \$10 per month, 3 rooms near Clatsop Mill, \$5 per month. 4 rooms near Clatsop Mill \$10 per Japanese Goods

month, upstairs. Small 4 room house near 4th and Exchange, \$5 per month. FOR SALE.

FOR SALE .- 14 room lodging house cheap. Well located. Lots in Alderbrook. The most destraibe residence portion of Asioria Cheap and easy terms. If you wish to sell your property list it with

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